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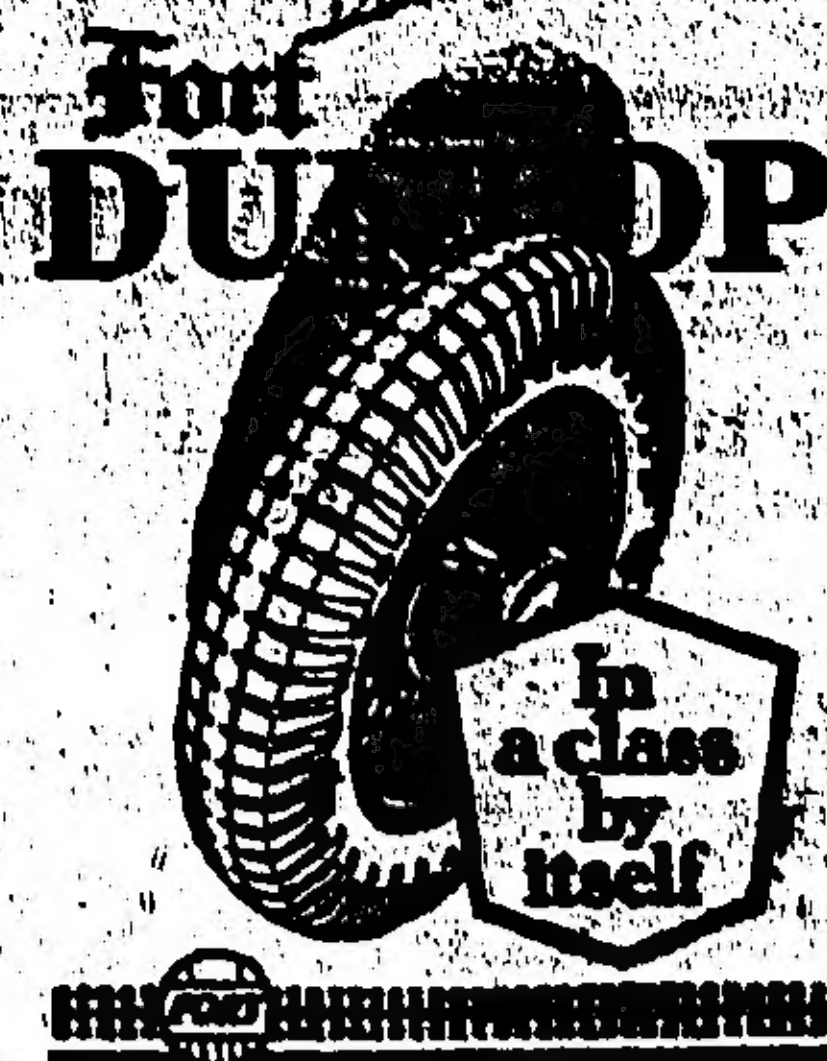
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COUNSEL CHARGES CROWN WITNESS PLANNED ATTACK ON FUNG

ENGLAND SIDE FOR AUSTRALIA.

Tate, Leyland And Verity.

MODERATE BOWLING SIDES IN OPPOSITION.

Verity A Passenger?

Tate, Leyland and Verity have been selected to fill the three vacant places in the English touring cricket party for Australia this winter. R. W. V. Robins, who was originally selected, has unfortunately had to stand down, and his place has not yet been filled. — Reuter.

The policy of the selectors has again tended towards the all-rounder side and Tate and Leyland have thus secured their

The following have been selected to visit Australia this winter:—

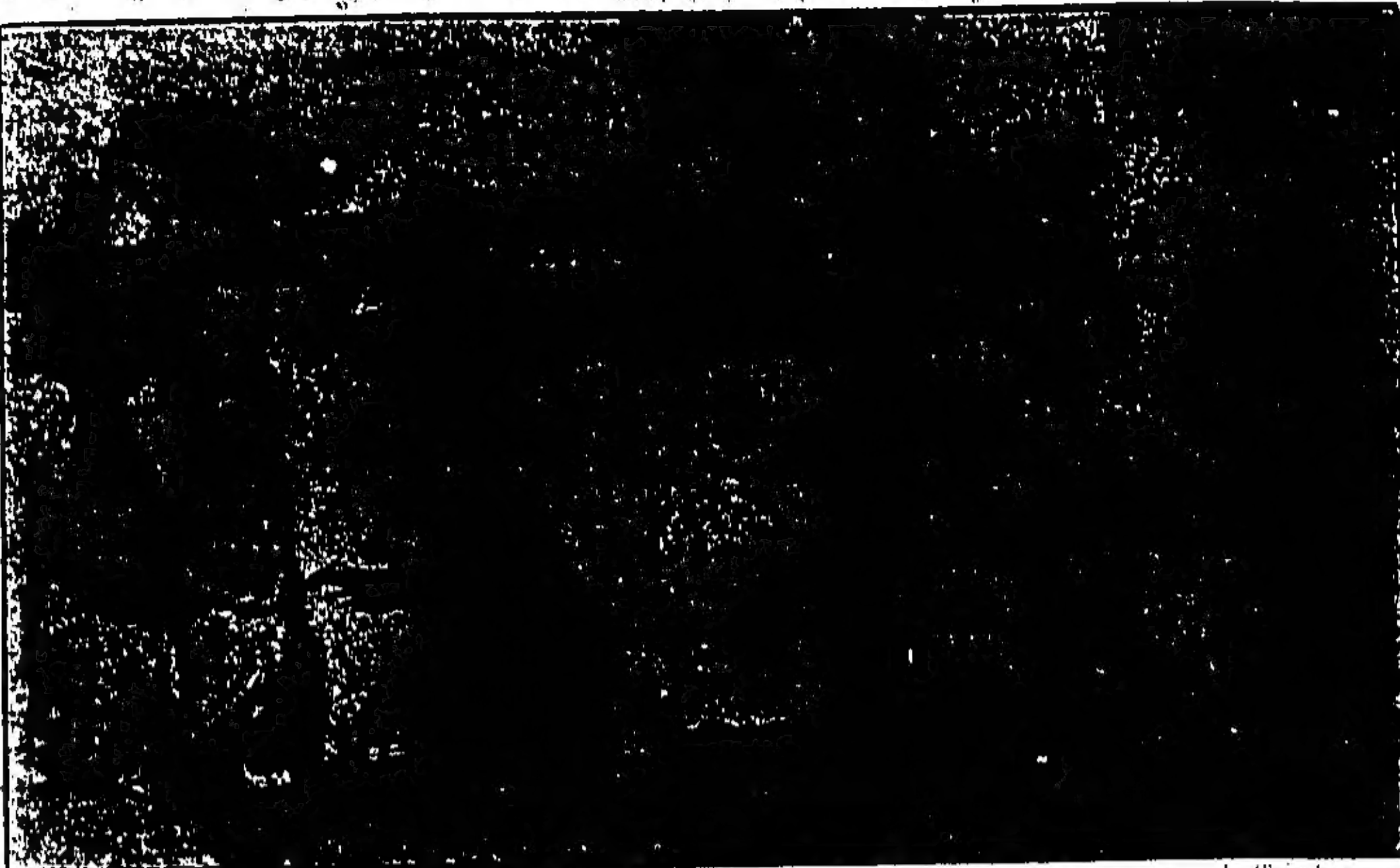
D. R. Jardine (Surrey) (captain)
K. S. Duleepsinhji (Sussex)
F. R. Brown (Surrey)
R. E. S. Wyatt (Warwick)
Nawab of Pataudi (Worcester)
G. O. Allen (Middlesex)
Sutcliffe (Yorkshire)
Hammond (Gloucester)
Larwood (Notts)
Voce (Notts)
Duckworth (Lancs.)
Ames (Kent)
Tate (Sussex)
Leyland (Yorkshire)
Verity (Yorkshire)

places. The remaining vacancy will probably be given to Ian Peebles, who will take the place of Robins as a slow bowler. Peebles was the only English bowler to cause Bradman the slightest anxiety during his record-breaking tour in England. Possible Eleven.

With the party almost complete it seems highly probable that the England XI for the first Test will be comprised of the following: Sutcliffe, Wyatt, Hammond, Duleepsinhji, Jardine, Pataudi, Brown, Tate, Larwood, Duckworth and Voce, with the possible inclusion of Peebles instead of Pataudi, and Ames may be preferred to Duckworth. Opening Bat Problem.

Glancing at the list eight batsmen of first-class calibre stand out, but who is going to partner Sutcliffe? Will it be the sixteenth (Continued on Page 12.)

(At right)—ANOTHER FAREWELL.—Dr. H. H. Kung, former Minister of Industries, photographed at a farewell reception given in his honour by the National Child Welfare Association of Chinese in Shanghai.



N.Y. STOCKS STEADY AFTER SLUMP.

Sales Sink Back To Normal Level.

PANIC IS ENDED.

E. A. Pierce & Co. Says "Market Irregular."

The New York Stock Exchange on Saturday had returned to a level of normalcy, both with respect to sales and average values, but the market is still "irregular."

Dow Jones averages on Saturday showed a slight gain in industrials and losses in rails and utilities, but the trend of the market had lost its steepness. The panic which followed the sudden drop from newly-gained peak prices, has apparently subsided. Only 1,800,000 shares changed hands on Saturday, as compared with the 3,500,000 turnover of the Saturday previous.

E. A. Pierce and Co., New York, report that market still irregular.

For a week past the New York Exchange has shown an unusual activity. A week ago Saturday the buying rush had got well under way and the bull tendency of the market was apparent. (Continued on Page 12)

PRINCESS BORN RUMANIAN ROYAL HOUSE.

Princess Iliana Is Mother Of Boy.

Vienna, To-day.

After 48 hours of acute anxiety and the most skilled of surgical attentions, Princess Iliana, sister of King Carol of Rumania, gave birth to a boy. Both are reported to be "doing well." — Reuter.

HONG KONG DOLLAR FALLS A LITTLE.

Pound Advances By Fraction.

SILVER WEAKENING.

A slight decline in the Hong Kong dollar was noted to-day when it slipped to 1/3 3/4, a drop of 1/5 since Saturday's quotation.

Spot silver is still weakening and is now down to 17.13/16 from 18 1/2 reported for Saturday. Bar silver forward is quoted at 17.15/16.

The value of the pound has risen a little, the London and New York cross rate being £\$3.47 1/2, a 1/4 rise and New York on London cross rate £\$3.48 1/2, a 1 1/2 rise from the last quotation.

U.S. SCHEMES FOR TRADE REVIVAL.

Hoover Has Plan To Aid Unemployed.

A FIVE-DAY WEEK?

Industrial Leaders To Join Parley.

Washington, To-day.

A big scheme to stimulate the revival of trade has been launched by President Hoover, by the summoning to a National Conference of business and industrial leaders of 12 Federal Reserve Districts.

The agenda will include plans for the wide expansion of credit facilities, a programme for the repair and maintenance of railroads, and an organisation for spreading existing employment, presumably through an industrial five-day week.

The new Secretary of Commerce, Mr. A. C. Chapin, declares President Hoover's plan is bound to make an instant and definite appeal to business men throughout the country. — Reuter's American Service.

THIRTEEN KILLED IN TEXAS STORM.

Scores Injured When Hurricane Strikes.

PANIC IN GALVESTON.

Rumblings Warn Of Wind's Approach.

Houston, Texas, To-day.

Thirteen are known to have been killed and more than 100 injured in a hurricane which swept Gulf of Mexico coast.

Premontory rumblings of the storm enabled numerous persons to take shelter in time to escape. The weirdest scenes were observed in Galveston. The city was isolated when telegraph wires were blown down and plunged in darkness.

Plate glass windows were smashed, trees were uprooted and families spent the whole night huddled in panic in any shelter they could find.

BASEBALL.

CARDINALS AND REDS SCORE DOUBLES.

Bill Terry And Melvin Ott Hit Homers.

FOXX AND RUTH ALSO.

New York, To-day.

The feature of yesterday's baseball results was the double-leader triumph of the St. Louis Cardinals, World Series Champions. Outthrust by the Cubs in their first encounter, the Cardinals secured a two-run advantage as the result of lapses in the field by the Cubs player. In the second game, the Cardinals won convincingly, registering 13 to 6 hits and 2 to 1 runs.

The Cincinnati Reds gained a double win at the expense of the Boston Braves in a most convincing manner, but Brooklyn Dodgers failed to improve their position when opposed to New York Giants.

Foxx and Ruth.

Though winning comfortably in their first game by 6 runs to 1, the Athletics could not hold the Red Sox in their second game. Jimmy Foxx added yet another home run to his big tally.

Babe Ruth gave the Yankees success over the Senators when he scored a much-belated home run to take further interest in the race for the home-run crown. The White Sox and Browns broke even and the Tigers beat the Indians 5 to 0.

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U.S. ATHLETES BEAT EMPIRE TEAM.

Win By 6 To 4 After Great Contest.

EVENT FOLLOWS OLYMPIC GAMES.

Hampson Leads Half-Milers To World's Record.

San Francisco, To-day.

The United States beat the British Empire by 6 events to 4 in the athletic relay events here yesterday.

The United States won the following teams' events:—

400 Yards Relay.
One Mile Relay.
Two Miles Relay.
120 Yards hurdles (team of four)—

averaged 14.2-10 seconds, equalling the world's record.

Three Miles Teams.

Four lap steeple—The British Empire won. The Miles Relay (in the world's record time of 7 mins. 40 2/10 sec.). The Empire team was: T. Hampson, (Great Britain), Powell, (South Africa), A. Wilson and D. Edwards (Canada).

Half Mile Relay.
Four Mile Relay.
One Mile Medley Relay.

All the Olympic representatives of the two countries took part in this event which always follows the Olympic Games. Eddie Tolkin, Frank Wykoff, Topping, and Ralph Metcalfe were opposed to Walters and Jourbert (South Africa), Elliott (New Zealand), Percy Williams (Canada), Golding (Australia) and E. L. Page, Carr and Eastman (U.S.A.) were opposed to Hampson, Harper, Burghley and Cornes (Britain), and Wilson and Edwards (Canada), in the middle distance relays. Hampson, holder of the world Half Mile record, carried the British flag to success in the Two Miles Relay.

America won this event four years ago, and again, two years ago after the British Empire Games. This year's contest was even and exciting throughout, the result hanging on the hurdles relay.

N.Y.K. LOSE \$40,000 APPEAL.

S.S. Toyooka Maru At Fault.

CROSSED FAIRWAY IN A FOG.

Judgment was delivered in the Full Court of Appeal this morning, in the appeal action in which the Nippon Yusen Kaisha sought to recover \$40,000 awarded against them to the China Navigation Company Ltd., as the result of a collision between the N.Y.K. Toyooka Maru and the B. & S. Klanguan, in the harbour during a fog in March last year. The Full Court upheld the judgment.

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ZIMMERN DESCRIBED AS "SWINDLER"

DENIES ENCOURAGING CHENG IN PLOT

MURDER TRIAL PROGRESS

CROWN AND DEFENCE IN SPIRITED EXCHANGE.

Mr. F. C. Jenkin, K.C., counsel for Cheng Kwok-yau, charged with instigating the murder of George Fung, made the sensational suggestion to-day, during the progress of the trial in Criminal Sessions, that Edward Zimmern, Crown witness, and a man named Sydney Christie, had encouraged the accused in his desire to wreak vengeance upon his successful rival in love. Zimmern, on the witness stand, steadfastly denied such implications. Fung was murdered on the night of March 24.

At another stage, Mr. Jenkin declared that he thought witness "a blackmailer," but changed his appellation to "swindler" when His Lordship, Sir Joseph Kemp, ruled that there had been as yet no evidence of blackmail in the case.

Proceedings were marked, too, by spirited exchanges between counsel for the defence and Crown. Mr. H. G. Sheldon took exception to Mr. Eldon Potter, K.C., terming certain evidence "nonsense," and His Lordship reminded the leading Crown counsel that he was not cross-examining. Mr. Potter, acknowledging his error, added that when the time came he would have a great deal more to say.

Asks For Ruling.

When Court resumed, Mr. Potter, for the defence, asked his Lordship for his ruling on certain statements made by the witness, Edward Zimmern, with regard to alleged conversations between the witness, accused and Christie at the Nathan Hotel in the early morning of March 21, on their way to the Star Ferry wharf, and in the Prince's Cafe in Hong Kong. The conversations were not contained in the statement handed to Mr. Jenkin, K.C., on Friday afternoon.

Counsel quote authorities to support his contention that the defence were entitled to ask

questions on that statement and the witness could be allowed to see that statement to refresh his memory.

Mr. Sheldon, for the Crown, stated that a statement made by a Crown witness could not be used by the defence as evidence. "Let there be no mystery about this," he added.

Mr. Potter — I am not saying there is any mystery.

Mr. Sheldon — Thank you. Mr. Potter added that he was not going to question the witness with a view to contradicting the statement.

Court's Agreement. His Lordship agreed that the witness could be allowed to see the statement to refresh his memory.

Mr. Jenkin then rose and proceeded with cross-examination of Zimmern.

After taking witness over the conversations on which he gave detailed evidence on Friday, Mr. Jenkin said: "In your evidence in chief here, I may remind you — I must remind you so that I may at the same time refresh the memory of those who are present — you gave a long and detailed account of how it came about that Cheng discussed with you and Christie the murder of Fung."

Did you? — Yes.

Mr. Jenkin — I suppose you will agree with me that this is very important evidence, if it is true. — I can only remember to the best of my ability.

Did you say before the Magistrate that after your arrest you made one statement and one statement only? — Yes, I did.

Is that true? — Yes, it is true.

Counsel Tell.

Referring to the statement handed to him (Counsel) on Friday, Mr. Jenkin said: "That statement you handed to Fitzches? — I cannot recollect."

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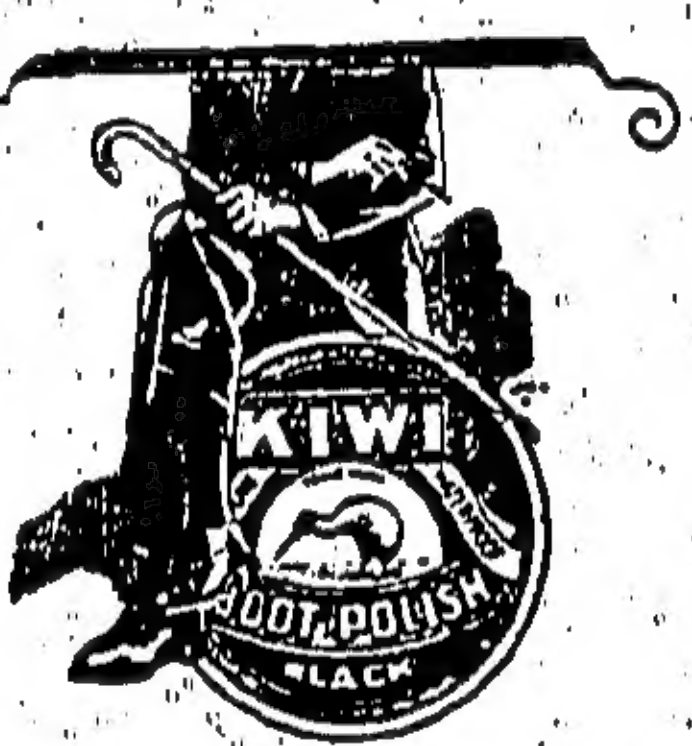
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CINEMA THEATRES****MAIL REVIEW****"SHE WANTED A MILLIONAIRE"
—KING'S THEATRE.**The charming innocence of Miss
Joan Bennett, and the awkward,
overwhelming love-making of
Spencer Tracy are cleverly ex-
ploited in Fox's romantic drama,
"She Wanted a Millionaire" which
will be presented at the King's
Theatre on Sunday next.
The annual Miss America beauty
contest gives Joan the long hoped-
for opportunity of meeting and
marrying a millionaire. She
realises her ambition for clothes,
mansions, Paris and luxury, but
within a short time discovers that
she has given herself into the
keeping of a madly-jealous hus-
band, who had sadistic tendencies.
It is then that the dog-like devotion
of Spencer Tracy comes to free her
from a terrible situation.
The breeziness with which Mr.
Tracy portrays the role of the
hick-town lover cannot fail to de-
light the public. Mr. James Kirk-
wood as the mad millionaire is
adequately terrifying. Miss Una
Merkel also gives an excellent per-
formance as the man-hunting press-
agent for the beauty contest.**MAIL REVIEW****"THE CHAMP"—QUEEN'S
THEATRE.**An ex-pugilist striving to "come
back", an adored and adoring
small son; and the age-old dilemma
of selfish love or heroic sacrifice.
This is the human interest in
Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's vivid new
drama, "The Champ" which will be
presented at the Queen's Theatre on
Sunday next.
Wallace Beery, whose villainous
portrayals in the past have never
ceased to hold and provoke to mirth
appreciative audiences throughout
the entire globe, is the former fight-
champion. Little precocious Jackie
Cooper of "Our Gang" fame, is his
small son. The scene is laid in a
Mexican town miraculously set up
in a Hollywood studio.
It is impossible to depict ade-
quately on paper the pathos with
which Beery finally makes his de-
cision to give his son the proper
advantages and environment of life.
With him, the audience, is torn
between the selfishness of parental
love and the desire to give a beloved
son the chance for betterment."The Champ" is a first-rate talkie
and does infinite credit to King
Vidor, the director, and to Frances
Marion, the author, who was also
responsible for that great work,
"The Big House."**MAIL REVIEW****"TOUCHDOWN"—ORIENTAL
THEATRE.**Jack Oakie is here again in
"Touchdown" the Paramount fea-
ture at the Oriental Theatre.
The production, which is a de-
dication to the memory of the late
Knute Rockne, provides innumera-
ble thrills and sustained interest,
in particular for football enthu-
siasts. Richard Arlen heads a cast
of present and former football play-
ers in America, to give appreciative
audiences all the breath-taking play
of a first-rate football game.
Jack Oakie, with his usual enjoy-
able nonsense, barely keeps the au-
dience from becoming hysterical.**MAIL REVIEW****"WINGS"—CENTRAL
THEATRE.**One of the most remarkable sound
synchronisation films ever made was
presented at the Central Theatre
yesterday. "Wings" is the Para-
mount epic of the "Aces" of the
World War (War), and is a marvel-
lous piece of realism that records
for all time, the war as it was
fought in the air in 1917 and 1918.
The tramping of thousands of
feet; the falling of stricken aero-
planes; the rapid blazing of
machine-guns and musical accom-
paniment of heart-stirring beauty,
have well-merited the unanimous
praise of newspaper critics
throughout the world.
The production is a stupendous
achievement of Director Wellman,
and is one which nobody should
miss.**LION FALLS TO DEATH.**Stockton, California.
An oil company had a lion in a
hotel here for advertising pur-
poses. The lion, playing around in
a room, jumped to a window and
fell against the window screen.
The screen was unlocked and gave
way under the weight of the beast.
The lion fell three floors to the
pavement below and died shortly
after.**RADIO
TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.**The following programme will
be broadcast to-day from the Hong
Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W.
on a wavelength of 835 metres
(845 K.C.'s):—6-8 p.m.—European programme.
6-7.15 p.m.—A programme of Vic-
tor & H.M.V. records.
6-6.18 p.m.—Band Music.
Pagoda of Flowers
(Woodforde-Finden).
Band of H. M. Coldstream Guards
C1912.
(a) Air de Ballet
(b) Calihroos (Chaminade).
Pas des Cymbales (Chaminade).
Band of H. M. Coldstream Guards
C1501.
6.18-6.40 p.m.—
Concerto for Violoncello and
Orchestra, Op. 85 (Elgar).
played by Beatrice Harrison and the
New Symphony Orchestra
conducted by Sir Edward Elgar.
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7 p.m.—(Stock Quotations, etc.)
6.40-7.15 p.m.—Variety.
The Quaker Girl—
Vocal Gems.
Light Opera Company C2015.
Chorus—
Humorous Song.
What Archibald Says, Goes,
Gracie Fields B3592.
Orchestral—
The Land of Smiles—Selection.
Symphony Orchestra C2227.
Humorous Dialogue—
Auto-Suggestion,
Alexander and Mose B3925.
Chorus—
Songs of Good Cheer.
Light Opera Male Chorus C2151.
7.15-8 p.m.—From the Studio.
Selections by Beverly Erwin and His
Georgia Serenaders of the "President
McKinley."
8 p.m.—Local Time & Weather
Report.
8.3-10.30 p.m.—Chinese Pro-
gramme.
10.30 p.m.—Rugby Press News.
10.35 p.m.—Close Down.
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Unemployed Who Will
Not Work."Many men who are unemployed
in the United States do not want
work, they are content to live on
the meals they can from other
people," stated Mr. Joseph Lilly,
the prominent American adventur-
er and big game hunter, who is
at present in the Colony.During an interview with the
China Mail on Saturday, he ex-
pressed an opinion that "Roosevelt
was almost the certain to be the
next President of the United
States."Mr. Lilly is at present on his
way to French Indo-China where
he plans to add a few more heads
to his already famous collection of
wild beasts."Conditions in America are not
so bad now as they were," he said,
"but they are still very depressing.
On the West coast, where they
were enjoying a comparative boom
when the rest of the country was
in the throes of the depression,
they are feeling the pinch at its
worst," but in the Middle-west
thing are improving.""Thousands are still without
employment, and these numbers
are supplemented by many who do
not want to work. They are tak-
ing advantage of the excuse "I
cannot find work" to get free
meals from the gullible public.""Why, take for instance this
case," Mr. Lilly continued, "I re-
cently went down to the Court
House in Des Moines, where a
number of so-called unemployed
were hanging around and tried to
recruit a few of them to do a wall-
washing job.""How much are you paying,"
asked one. I replied, "Forty cents
an hour." "Nothing doing" was
the general reply.
"On another occasion I had a
man in to beat some carpets for
me. He said that he had tried to
get another man to help him in
the job, and had offered to pay
him 60 cents an hour for four
hours.""If I cannot get a job for long-
er than four hours, I won't work
at all," was the reply.Speaking about the forthcoming
election in the United States, Mr.
Lilly said that in his opinion the
country were ready for a change.
"Get the in's out" seems to be
the motto now, and I estimate that
there will be 175 new faces in the
House of Representatives in Wash-
ington this year.""There is a definite leaning to
the Democrats. I myself, have al-
ways voted Republican, but this
year I am going Democrat. After
all, Hoover has done very little
during his term of office.""It is my opinion that Roosevelt
is certain to be elected as the
next President of the United
States."Turning the conversation into
big game hunting, Mr. Lilly said
that it was his hobby, and he did
not hunt for profit."I just want a few more heads
to take back with me," he said,
when asked the object of his trip
to Indo-China.I have never been out this way
before, but from what I hear, it
is an ideal hunting ground. My
previous trips have been to
Africa."In all his adventures as a hunt-
er, Mr. Lilly has had no really
narrow escapes from death or
serious injury.**THE HAPPY COUPLE.**Mr. Fred Fung and Miss
Irene Yuen-han Lee snapped
after their wedding at St.
Paul's Church on Thursday
afternoon.**TITANIC SURVIVOR A
NOTED GOLFER.**A baby carried from the sinking
Titanic 20 years ago is to-day one
of the best known golfers in
Cooperstown, New York. His
father went down in the ship.
The code of the sea, "Women and
children first," separated father
and son. A woman nurse carried
the two-year-old lad into a lifeboat,
while the father, a wealthy steel
magnate of Chicago, perished like
other men who could not find room
in the boats.**SHADOWS BEFORE**COMING EVENTS ADVERTISED
IN CHINA MAIL.Social Functions.
To-day—Tea Dance at King's
Restaurant; Dinner Dances at Hong
Kong and Peninsula Hotels.
Entertainments.
To-day—King's Theatre;
"She Wanted A Millionaire."
To-day—Queen's Theatre;
"The Champ."
To-day—Central Theatre;
"Wings."
To-day—Majestic Theatre;
"Heartbreak."
To-day—Star Theatre;
"Trader Horn."
To-day—World Theatre;
"Reminiscences of Peking."
To-day—Garden Theatre;
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To-day—Oriental Theatre;
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many members of the audience.The whole programme was well-
selected and the last number on the
list, "Czardas" from the opera
"The Knight's Shadow" by Gross-
man, was repeated in response to
the demand. Those orchestral num-
bers receiving the greatest applause
were a selection from "The Merry
Widow" by Lehár, the overture to
"If I were King" by Adam, and
another selection from an old
favourite, "Calaveria Rusticana"
by Mascagni.Three songs, "June is Calling" by
Sanderson, "Lass With the Delicate
Air" by Arne and "I Think" by J.
Tardelot, the latter an encore,
were sung by Mrs. M. Sharpman,
who was accompanied at the piano
by Miss Nora Flint. Also three
piano solos by Mr. J. Maklensoff,
"The Lark" by Glinca, "Polonaise
No. 3 in E Flat Major" by Chopin
and the beautiful Liszt composition
"Liebestraum," were accepted by
the audience as being one of the
highlights of the programme.Last night's concert was by far
the best that has been rendered at
the Peninsula as yet.Mr. A. G. Piovaneli, the manager
of the Peninsula, begs to announce
that on the first Sunday in Septem-
ber, a combined group, made up of
the best musicians of the Hong
Kong, Shanghai Hotel's orchestras
and from the 1st Battalion of the
South Wales Borderers, will give a
concert at the hotel that should
prove one of the treats of the sea-
son. The group will be led by J. L.
Gecks, A.R.C.M. Bandmaster of
the Welsh Battalion.**HORSE MARINES OF
POLAND.**Warsaw, August 8.
A new kind of "horse marines"
has apparently been invented by
the military chiefs of Poland. At
Gdingia, in the presence of
the Polish president, four
Polish cavalry regiments took a
special oath to defend the "Polish
coastline" to the last drop of their
blood and to prove their allegiance,
the entire regiment rode out into
the sea—which fortunately was
conveniently shallow—and the
officers and men dipped their
swords and fanions into the brine.**BUSINESS DIRECTORY****ATTRACTIVE TAILORING****SUMMER
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Won by a foot.		Time: 7 mins. 17.4/10 secs.	
		Won by a length.	
1,500 Metres Free Style:—		Coxless Fours:—	
1. Kitamura (Japan).		1. Great Britain.	
2. Makino (Japan).		2. Germany.	
3. Christy (U.S.).		3. Italy.	
Time: 19 mins. 12.2/5 secs.		4. America.	
Won by two yards. (Olympic Record).		Time: 6 mins. 58.2/10 secs.	
		Won by two and a half lengths.	
100-Metres Backstroke:—		Eights:—	
1. Keyokawa (Japan).		1. America.	
2. Iryie (Japan).		2. Italy.	
3. Kawazu (Japan).		3. Canada.	
Time: 1 min. 8.3/5 secs.		4. Great Britain.	
		Time: 6 mins. 37.3/10 secs.	
		Won by two feet.	
400-Metres Relay (Women):—		Coxed Fours:—	
1. America.		1. Germany.	
2. Holland.		2. Italy.	
3. Britain.		3. Poland.	
Time: 4 mins. 38 secs.		4. New Zealand.	
(Olympic record).		Time: 7 mins. 19 secs.	
		Won by inches.	

Coxed Pairs:—

1. America.
 2. Poland.
 3. France.
 4. Brazil.
- Time: 8 mins. 25.4/5 secs.
Won easily.

Coxless Pairs:—

1. Britain.
 2. New Zealand.
 3. Poland.
 4. Holland.
- Time: 8 mins.
Won by a length.

Singles:—

1. "Bobby" Pearce (Australia).
 2. Bill Miller (U.S.A.).
 3. Douglas (Uruguay).
 4. Southwood (Britain).
- Time: 7 mins. 44.2/5 secs.
Won by 3/4 length.

WATER POLO.

Hungary	16	Japan	0
Germany	10	Japan	0

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Championship:
1. Hungary.
2. Germany.
3. America.



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RESULTS TO DATE.

Two further matches were decided in the Chinese Summer Football Tournament yesterday afternoon at King's Park with the following results:
H.K. Electric 1 H.K. Hotel 0
Ching Wu 4 Ching Ning 3
The Summer Football Tournament, which is run under the auspices of the Chung Wah A.A. and for a silver trophy presented by Dr. Wu, has this year attracted nine teams.
The following are the results to date:—
Soong Ching 6 Electric Co. 0
Sam Kwong 4 Kwok Wah 0
Ching Ning 3 Electric Co. 0
Ching Wu 3 Soong Ching 2
Fui Shing 5 H.K. Hotel 0
Mui Dai 4 Sam Kwong 1
Soong Ching 3 Kwok Wah 1
Electric Co. 1 H.K. Hotel 0
Ching Wu 4 Ching Ning 3

CARDINALS AND REDS SCORE DOUBLES.

(Continued from Page 1.)

RESULTS.

The following were the results of yesterday's Baseball games:—
National League.

Cincinnati Reds	3	8	2
Boston Braves	1	7	2
Cincinnati Reds	9	12	1
Boston Braves	3	12	0
New York Giants	1	10	2
Brooklyn Dodgers	2	11	0
New York Giants	8	13	2
Brooklyn Dodgers	4	7	1
St. Louis Cardinals	2	5	1
Chicago Cubs	0	7	0
St. Louis Cardinals	2	13	1
Chicago Cubs	1	6	0

American League.

Boston Red Sox	1	7	2
Philadelphia Athletics	6	6	1
Boston Red Sox	2	4	0
Philadelphia Athletics	0	8	0
Chicago White Sox	0	5	0
St. Louis Browns	5	11	0
Chicago White Sox	5	12	3
St. Louis Browns	9	18	1
Cleveland Indians	0	5	1
Detroit Tigers	0	5	0
Washington Senators	4	15	1
New York Yankees	5	13	0

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OPEN BOWLS MATCH POSTPONED.

L. A. Gutierrez Suffers
From Illness.

TO-MORROW'S BIG GAME.

The Fourth Round match between J. G. Ozorio and L. A. Gutierrez in the Lawn Bowls Open Championship, which was to have been played on the Recreio green this afternoon, has been postponed until Wednesday owing to Gutierrez being indisposed.
The winner of this game will enter the Semi-Final Round where he will encounter A. H. Oswick.
To-morrow afternoon R. F. Luz will play A. W. Grimmit on the Taikoo green for right of entry into the Semi-Final Round. The winner will meet H. Nish.

RADIO HOCKEY TEAM FOR TO-MORROW.

Mamak Champions To
Engage Battery.

The following will represent the Radio Sports Club hockey eleven against the 2nd Battery, Hong Kong and Singapore Brigade Royal Artillery on the Marina ground to-morrow afternoon at 5.30 p.m.
S. Singh; J. T. K. Gilchrist, B. Singh; Hamid, G. Jack, J. Singh; A. Douveya, G. Singh, Awta Singh, K. Singh and H. Singh.
Reserves—M. Singh and Atta Singh.

CHINESE ATHLETIC BEAT FUKIEN.

Water Polo Success.

On Saturday night the Chinese Athletic Association second string beat the Fukien A.A. Juniors by 4 goals to 1 at water polo at the South China A.A. pavilion, North Point.

China Mail Sports Diary.

TO-DAY.

FENCING—Hong Kong Fencing Club Meeting at 5.15 p.m.
LAWN BOWLS—Open Championship—L. A. Gutierrez v. J. G. Ozorio at Recreio green at 5.30 p.m.

TO-MORROW.

LAWN BOWLS—Open Championship—R. F. Luz v. A. W. Grimmit at Taikoo green at 5.30 p.m.
TUESDAY.
LAWN BOWLS—Squad Royal Artillery v. Hong Kong F.C.C. at 4.30 p.m.

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THE WEEK-END SPORTING ACTIVITIES OUTLINED IN BRIEF

LAWN BOWLS

League I.

RECREIO v. CRAIGENGOWER.

At King's Park, the Craigen-gower Cricket Club defeated the Club de Recreio by 24 shots.

Recreio.	C.C.C.
J. M. M. Alves	G. L. Buchanan
R. R. Roberts	M. O'Brien
L. C. R. Souza	C. S. Rosset
R. P. Luz	R. Basa
(Skip) 14	(Skip) 22
F. X. M. Silva	L. E. Lammert
C. A. Lopes	D. Souza
E. M. Remedios	U. Rumbold
C. G. Silva	B. W. Bradbury
(Skip) 16	(Skip) 33
L. A. G. Gutierrez	W. T. Brightman
F. V. Ribeiro	A. E. Coates
A. S. Gomes	E. el Arculli
C. E. Marques	U. M. Omar
(Skip) 17	(Skip) 16

K.C.C. v. POLICE.

At the K.C.C., the Police R.C. defeated the Kowloon C.C. by 11 shots.

Kowloon C.C.	Police R.C.
H. Gittins	R. Oram
T. Farrell	R. H. E. Marks
A. Hyde-Lay	D. Clow
R. Lapsley	J. C. West
(Skip) 24	(Skip) 23
H. Hampton	W. Glendinning
F. Goodwin	J. Ellis
W. Hyde	F. E. E. Booker
J. Hyde	J. Moss
(Skip) 23	(Skip) 13
E. C. Fincher	E. G. Post
A. C. Burford	T. R. Hunter
J. McTavish	A. N. Reynolds
J. C. Lyle	W. E. Hollands
(Skip) 5	(Skip) 27

K.B.G.C. v. Tai Koo R.C.

At the K.B.G.C., the Tai Koo Recreation Club defeated the Kowloon Bowling Green Club by 25 shots.

K.B.G.C.	Tai Koo.
A. W. E. Davidson	J. Chapman
R. Duncan	W. Weir
R. Hall	G. McLeod
A. M. Holland	D. Munro
(Skip) 18	(Skip) 25
C. S. Beat	J. Polson
H. F. Stoneham	D. Bone
H. Nish	J. Russell
W. Russell	J. Chalmers
(Skip) 21	(Skip) 24
G. N. Mitchell	J. Watson
A. Keith Taylor	A. Stalker
E. W. L. Hogbin	R. Keown
D. Gow	W. Watherspoon
(Skip) 14	(Skip) 29

C.S.C.C. v. KOWLOON D.R.C.

At Happy Valley the Kowloon Docks Recreation Club beat the Civil Service Cricket Club by 29 shots.

Civil Service.	Kowloon Docks.
S. Randle	A. Calman
A. O. Brawn	R. Morrison
A. H. Oswick	G. Cooper
R. P. Phillips	F. Cullen
(Skip) 13	(Skip) 22
N. J. Babbington	E. Docherty
F. H. Holdman	F. Kempton
J. W. Deakin	W. Greig
J. Hollidge	J. McKelvie
(Skip) 13	(Skip) 26
E. W. Simmonds	D. Ramsay
T. Armstrong	R. G. Craig
F. J. Jones	J. Lindsay
A. W. Grimmit	J. Brown
(Skip) 20	(Skip) 24

FIRST DIVISION TABLE TO DATE.

Shots	P. W. L. D. For Agt. Up. Down Pts.
Craigengower C.C.	11 10 1 0 737 532 205 0 20
Club de Recreio	11 7 3 1 655 549 0 6 15
Civil Service C.C.	11 7 4 0 710 608 102 0 14
Kowloon C.C.	11 6 5 0 621 835 0 14 12
Tai Koo R.C.	11 5 5 1 592 563 0 71 11
Kowloon Docks R.C.	11 5 6 0 640 615 25 0 10
Police R.C.	11 2 9 0 371 671 0 100 4
Kowloon B.G.C.	11 1 10 0 575 728 0 153 2

SECOND DIVISION TABLE TO DATE.

Shots	P. W. L. D. For Agt. Up. Down Pts.
Craigengower C.C.	11 10 1 0 737 532 205 0 20
Yacht Club	11 7 4 0 658 606 82 0 14
Civil Service C.C.	11 7 4 0 676 633 43 0 14
Tai Koo R.C.	11 5 6 0 655 631 7 0 10
Club de Recreio	11 5 6 0 623 707 0 84 10
Kowloon C.C.	11 4 7 0 664 689 0 25 8
Kowloon B.G.C.	11 4 7 0 669 661 0 34 8
Electric R.C.	11 2 9 0 582 745 0 153 2

RANGERS LOSE TO ST. MIRREN.

Motherwell Only Draw And Celtic Win.

Edinburgh, Saturday.

The 1932-33 season Scottish League Football season commenced all over the country to-day. Motherwell, last year's champions were held to a draw on their own ground by the much-improved Kilmarnock combination. Celtic, who proved so disappointing last season, are making a decided effort to regain their lost prestige and to-day gave a dashing display to account for Aberdeen. The Rangers caused their supporters some anxiety by losing to St. Mirren in their opening match.

The following were the results:

First Division.	Score
Airdrie	0 Clyde 2
Ayr	4 Queen's Park 3
Celtic	3 Aberdeen 0
Cowdenbeath	4 Falkirk 3
Dundee	1 Hamilton 5
East Stirling	0 Morton 3
Motherwell	3 Kilmarnock 3
Partick	1 Hearts 2
St. Mirren	2 Rangers 0
Third Lanark	2 St. Johnstone 2

THE HAPPY VALLEY FOURSOMES.

Three Pairs Reach Semi-Final.

Three Third Round matches in the Happy Valley Foursomes were decided during the week with the following results:—

K. S. Robertson and Capt. H. W. Dawkes (25) beat T. R. Rowell and W. A. Stewart (34) one up.

C. B. Robertson and D. S. Edw. (23) beat Capt. H. V. E. Benfield and J. B. Mackie (26) by 1 and 1.

R. K. Valentine and A. E. Charman (20) beat G. W. Sewell and W. J. Waddington (31) two up.

The match between A. E. Clarke and R. C. Law (23) and D. S. Robb and A. G. Coppin (26) has not yet been played.

The draw for the Semi-Final Round is as follows:—

Robertson and Dawkes v. Robertson and Edward.

Valentine and Charman v. Clarke and Law or Robb and Coppin.

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BASEBALL

YANKEES VICTORY DECLARED VOID.

Carey Again Manager Of Dodgers.

HEAVY SCORING IN NEW YORK.

New York, Saturday.

Because the Yankees changed their batting order President Harbridge has declared void the game with Detroit, which the New York team won by six runs to three, on August 1 last. The match will be re-played in September next.

Carey, has been re-appointed manager of the Dodgers for the season 1933.

The following were the results of to-day's Baseball games:—

National League.

R. H. E.

New York 9 12 3

Bilt Terry hit 3 home runs.

Ott (2) and Lindstrom one.

Brooklyn 18 24 3

Taylor, Wilson and Cuccinello hit home runs.

New York 4 12 0

Melvin Ott hit a home run.

Brooklyn 5 11 2

Stripp, O'Doul and Cuccinello hit home runs.

Philadelphia Phillies 5 10 0

George Davis hit a home run and Holley pitched.

Boston 0 5 0

Pittsburgh 0 6 0

Cincinnati 3 7 0

Rixey pitched.

St. Louis 1 7 0

Chicago 3 9 0

American League.

Boston 2 9 1

Philadelphia 8 9 0

Chicago 5 10 4

St. Louis 7 12 3

Cleveland 8 8 0

Detroit 3 10 1

Washington 0 3 0

New York 1 7 0

Ruffing pitched and had home run in tenth innings.

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YORKSHIRE SCORE FREELY.

Sussex Bowlers Capture Cheap Wickets.

London, Saturday.

Yorkshire were in a very sound position at the tea interval to-day when they had amassed 288 for the loss of 2 wickets against Leicestershire at Bradford. Sussex, however, had dismissed 8 Somerset batsmen for only 147 runs at Taunton and look to be in a position to register yet another triumph in their effort to rob Yorkshire of the Championship.

The following were the tea interval scores:

Gloucester v. Essex at Cheltenham. Gloucester 267.

Kent v. Hampshire at Dover. Hants 215 for 4.

Surrey v. All-India at the Oval. Surrey 201 for 8.

Notts v. Glamorgan at Trent Bridge. Notts 231 for 1.

Warwick v. Northants at Edgbaston. Northants 165 for 5.

Lancashire v. Middlesex at Manchester. Middlesex 159 for 6.

Derby v. Worcester at Derby. Worcester 188 for 4.

Somerset v. Sussex at Taunton. Somerset 147 for 8.

Yorkshire v. Leicester at Bradford. Yorkshire 288 for 2.

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A Recruit To The League of Nations.

When the League of Nations is facing a most critical period and when its very existence is threatened owing to loss of prestige following the Sino-Japanese dispute, it is encouraging to well-wishers of the League to note a fresh recruit in Turkey. As Turkey is a connecting link between Europe and Asia the event possesses more than ordinary significance. The only important nations still remaining outside the League are Soviet Russia and the United States, and the strange feature is that these countries are bitterly antagonistic to each other. The principles of the Moscow rulers will not allow them to join the League and the Soviet's main contribution to any international gathering is a bitter cynicism. America was largely responsible for the inauguration of the League, but fear of becoming entangled in European disputes has kept her away from Geneva. The usefulness of the League has often been disputed, but the general body of public opinion is that the body, while almost impotent in any major disturbance, has accomplished much valuable work in helping to preserve and promote international harmony. Certainly, the usefulness of the League would be greatly increased through participation of the United States.

The Republic of Turkey enters the League of Nations as fifty-sixth members by invitation. The virtual pledge to accept it was given in the Treaty of Lausanne, by which she agreed to follow the direction of the Council of the League in repairing any infractions of the treaty. There has been delay due to Turkey's insistence upon certain concessions. The Assembly having gained relatively in importance, she has now made no demand for even a semi-permanent seat in the Council. She comes at the invitation of fifty-five other nations, most of whom

would have closed their doors against her but a few years ago. He who was denounced at the first meeting of the Assembly ten years ago as one who had violated the laws of humanity, and who had been characterised by Lord Balfour as "a leader of disorganised bands of brigands," is now praised for the progress under his Presidency toward Western ideals. The British Government a few weeks ago presented to him a copy of the official history of the Gallipoli campaign with the inscription: "Seldom in history can the exertions of a single divisional commander have exercised so profound an influence not only on the course of a battle or perhaps on the fate of a campaign and even the destinies of a nation." It was upon the enthusiastic seconding of Turkey's hereditary enemy, Greece, that the invitation was put upon the agenda; and representatives of many of the States spoke in eulogy of the new spirit that Turkey has shown in turning away from the inhumanity of her past. The figure on the Lycian tomb in Constantinople, "forever married to immortal grief," may serve to symbolize the sorrow that "can never compass peace" for those who by thousands lost their all in the Turkish barbarity before the sudden changes came. One has written of the siege of Troy that it was in the beginning wrath and concupiscence, and in the end a tragedy so fearful that "no mind can approve, nor any gentle heart take comfort in the event." Time and the Muse have purged them of their unhappiness. But the transition in Turkey has not awaited the help of time, nor has the Muse glorified it. It has been a prosaic administrative undertaking of remarkable success. Entering the League, Turkey is the more likely to persist in the ways of civilization, having now shown, as Mr. de Madariaga said, her willingness to take her place "in the efforts 'for those common ideals for which we all strive.'"

Mrs. Shaughly of 1, Norfolk Road, Kowloon, has reported to the Police that some time between 4 p.m. and 5 p.m. yesterday, her house was entered and a tablecloth stolen from the sitting-room.

Correspondence.

CHINA'S GOVERNMENT.

(To the Editor of "China Mail.")
Sir—The papers in Hong Kong last Thursday gave wide publicity to the views of Mr. Sun Fo who advocates the resumption of diplomatic relations with Russia without conditions and the abolition of Party rule because in reality the militarists are dominating the Government in the name of the Party. To resume diplomatic relations without any conditions or safeguards would encourage more Communist activities in China. If Mr. Sun were in Canton on December 11, 1927, he would know that the Russian consulate here was the headquarters of the Communist activities. If China resumes diplomatic relations with Red Russia according to the advice of Mr. Sun, China will turn Communist in a very short time. At least China should insist upon Russia stopping all Communist propaganda and refrain from helping the Communist armies in Kiangsi, when China is again on diplomatic terms with Moscow. Therefore Mr. Sun's view is based on immature thinking and dangerous, unless he wants the country to go Red.
As regards the proposed abolition of the Party, Mr. Sun has only himself to blame. If the militarists are actually running the Government in the name of the Kuomintang, it is because politicians like Sun Fo are willing to be their puppets. When he was in Canton last year, he hotly denounced Chiang Kai-shek. But when he was president of the Executive Yuan, he begged Chiang to come out of his retirement. As Mr. Chow Lu pointed out, Mr. Sun dared not propose to punish Chang Hsueh-liang because that would displease Chiang. Although Sun was head of the Government, he willingly let Chiang continue to be the real boss. The troubles in China are not necessarily the fault of the Kuomintang but Kuomintang officials like Sun Fo and his kind.

Yours truly,

Canton Publicist.

Canton, August 13.

R.A.F. PILOT LOSES PROPELLOR.

Lieut. Stainforth Has
New Adventure.

London, Yesterday.
The holder of the world's speed record, Flight Lieutenant Stainforth, had a disconcerting experience while testing a new type aeroplane.
When 10,000 feet above Hampshire his propellor dropped off. Lieutenant Stainforth glided for fourteen miles to find a suitable landing spot and eventually made a perfect landing. — Reuter.

FUNERAL OF MISS PHYLLIS RATHSAM.

Many Friends Pay
Last Respects.

The funeral of Miss Phyllis Rathsam took place at the Protestant Cemetery, Happy Valley, yesterday evening, in the presence of a large gathering of mourners. The burial rites were conducted by the Rev. W. Walton Rogers, Vicar of St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon.
A profusion of wreaths were laid on the grave, these including tributes from the Diocesan Old Girls' Association, the Diocesan Girls' School, Class 1 of 1931, Mr. J. MacKnight, Mustard & Co., Ltd., and many others.

PASSENGER VESSEL CARRIED CARGO.

For carrying cargo in a licensed passenger boat, Leung Pat, owner of boat No. B-2996-V, was fined \$10 by Commander J. B. Nevill, D.H.M., in this morning's Marine Court.

Two cases in which junks were apprehended by police, launched outside the harbour, without the proper clearance papers, were called. One defendant, Ho Han-man, of cargo boat No. T-4784-H, was discharged for lack of evidence. The other, Leung Kam, of cargo boat No. N-83012-V, was fined \$10.

SZECHUEN GENERAL'S AGENT ARRESTED

HELD ON SUSPICION AS "RED" PLANE BUYER

SOON WON RELEASE

TELLS OF INDUSTRIAL RICHES OF INTERIOR PROVINCE.

Mr. Ma Hui-wan, head of the Szechuen Arsenal, who was arrested in Canton on August 8, shortly after he had ordered 16 new aircraft in Hong Kong, was released on Thursday, and immediately proceeded to Hong Kong. He was held, he explains, on suspicion of being a Communist agent.

In an exclusive interview with the "China Mail" he outlined the facts which led to his arrest, and subsequent release. He also gave many sidelights on life in Szechuen province, which is controlled by four feudal lords.

Mr. Ma said that he owed his early release to the good offices of General Lei Chung-yun, immediately the latter learned that Mr. Ma was not acting under orders from the Reds, as at first imagined.

Shortly after Mr. Ma's arrest the Canton authorities got into communication with the Central Government, and the latter sent a man to Hong Kong to consult with General Chan, but before the intermediary arrived the release was effected.

Government Sanction.
It was subsequently learned that the purchase of the planes had been sanctioned by the Central Government, who had issued Mr. Ma a permit for the purpose. The planes are for use in Szechuen province, and cannot be sold to China without the approval of the Chinese Minister at Washington.

"I have been through all the formalities, and there should be no suspicion of Communism on my part," Mr. Ma said.

Mr. Ma, who is a native of the Toi Shan district, is a graduate of Kingston University, England, and after his graduation he went to America to study gunnery at West Point Academy. He returned to China in 1924.

He is now the head of the Arsenal, which is under the control of General Tin Chung-yu. The maintenance of the Arsenal is stated to be \$700,000 per month, and 5,000 people are employed there. The plant is capable of supplying the whole Szechuen army with artillery and ammunition.

The largest province in China, Szechuen covers an area of 1,800,000 square li, and has a population of 58,000,000. It produces gold, silver, iron, lead, sulphur, and coal, the first named commodity being plentiful and cheap.

Rich Revenue.
In addition there are 800 salt wells in the province, the revenue from which amounts to \$30,000,000 per year. Opium revenue totals \$60,000,000 a year, and other revenues amount to \$60,000,000.

Four feudal lords control the province, Generals Lau Sheung, Lau Man-fai, Tin Chung-yu, and a lesser ruler. They have a non-aggressive policy and each keeps to his own territory.

Gen. Lau Sheung occupies the Southern part of the province, Gen. Tin Chung-yu the Northeast, and the other two the Northwest.

No trucks weighing more than 1½ tons are admitted into Lau Sheung's section of the province, on the grounds that they might be used as armoured cars, and no steel bars of more than 15 feet in length, that might be used for weapons of war. Any imports which might lead to an increase of power on the part of his three neighbours, are also kept out by Gen. Lau Sheung.

To Break Blockade.
The purchase of the 16 aeroplanes by General Tin Chung-yu has been causing Gen. Lau Sheung much uneasiness, as General Tin has long wished to establish an air route and so break Gen. Lau Sheung's blockade.

Concluding, Mr. Ma said that he would not return to Szechuen until one of the passenger planes which he has ordered on behalf of General Tin, is ready, and he will then make his return journey by air. By air, he can make the trip in six or seven hours, instead of the 14 days required by sea and land.

The machine he is awaiting is an eight-seater, with a cruising speed of about 160 m.p.h., and a maximum speed of 180 m.p.h. The contract for the 16 machines has been placed with Messrs. Lanchester.

Wing-yun, and is valued at \$500,000. Apart from the passenger machine, the rest of the fleet will consist of amphibian bombers and pursuit planes, the latter being capable of 210 m.p.h.

On his return, Mr. Ma will take up duties as the Military trainer.

News in Brief.

Au Mui, aged 24, male, was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital yesterday suffering from typhoid poisoning.

Two cases of cholera, two cases of typhoid fever and one case of spinal meningitis, have been reported in the Colony within the last 24 hours.

Lam Lui, of Nam Tau, Chinese Territory, committed suicide yesterday by cutting his throat with a chopper. His body was sent to the Kowloon Mortuary from the Ping Shan District.

A report from the Honourable Director of Medical and Sanitary Services on the water supply of the colony for the month of July, will be read at the next meeting of the Sanitary Board to be held on Tuesday, August 16.

Between 6.30 and 10.15 a.m. yesterday, it is alleged that a coolie, employed at the Hunters Arms, Fanling, absconded with a .38 revolver and a small sum of money belonging to Mr. Browning, manager.

Before Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones at the Central Police Court to-day, Tam Kong, 20, and Mak Tsat, 20, were sentenced to 6 months' hard labour for soliciting for prostitution. These sentences will result in automatic banishment upon completion of the penalties.

In swerving to avoid a Chinese in Leichikok Road on Saturday, Mr. Valdaiff, of the Socony Installation at Leichikok, collided with the railing surrounding the island in the centre of the road. Slight damage was caused to the rails and to the car.

Mr. A. G. Coppin, 528, Coombe Road, the Peak, reported yesterday that whilst driving his car to town from his residence he collided with a public vehicle at the junction of Coombe Road and Stubbs Road. Only slight damage was caused to the public car.

Mr. John Ritchie, manager of the "His Master's Voice" Gramophone Co., Ltd., in Australia and New Zealand, and director of Columbia Graphophone (Australia) Ltd., has received the appointment of managing director for China, with headquarters at Shanghai.

A crowd of hooligans gathered outside the Po. Hing Theatre on Saturday night and some of them threw stones into the building through the windows. On the arrival of the Emergency Unit and reserve men from the Yau-mati Police Station, the crowd was dispersed.

Three fights were reported to the Police during the week-end. A Chinese male of 2, Square Street was hurt about the forehead when assaulted by another man. Three contractor's coolies engaged on work at the vehicular ferry wharf were injured during a fight among themselves. In the third case it was reported that during a fight over money matters a female tenant of 33, Austin Road, received an injury to her forehead.

LIVE CELLS BUILT
BY SCIENCE.Mystery Of Life May
Be Solved.

SIMPLE PROCESS.

Protoplasmic Cells Born
Of Sun And Sulphur.

Dr. Alfonso Herrera, a Mexican biologist, who has experimented extensively in the fields of biochemistry, biophysics, and related subjects for a long period claims to have produced protoplasm and other forms of lower organic life from inorganic substances by the process of photosynthesis.

The field of research has drawn the attention of many scientists to the subject during the past century, and if men of science confirm this discovery it will mark the beginning of a new epoch.

The forms evolved by Dr. Herrera resemble very closely the living organisms in form, behaviour, structure, and other qualities, and pertain to lifelike phenomena in cell division and extension and retraction of pseudopodia. These artificial cells are named protobion and collobion.

The amazing fact of the discovery is that the process of photosynthesis, which formerly played no part in Dr. Herrera's previous experiments, was made by the doctor after only five years' research, although certain forms of artificial cells bearing a marked resemblance to the living forms of flower life, which the scientist has also produced, are not yet established.

Although Dr. Herrera has complete confidence in his experiments, he is of the opinion that the time has not yet come to assert that the artificial cells which he has discovered are living, but merely to state that they are undistinguishable from the normal living cells.

From the observation made on the process of photosynthesis in both plant and animal organisms, other scientists have attempted imitation of the process, but as yet nothing approaching the discovery of the Mexican pioneer has been attained.

Dr. Herrera's Formula.

Dr. Herrera's method is surprisingly simple. It is as follows:—

Place a glass plate moistened with formaldehyde over a glass vessel of 30 c.c. capacity, containing 5 c.c. of a solution of sulphide of ammonia (this solution being 20 c.c. of sulphide of ammonia dissolved in distilled water). Expose it to strong sunlight for 30 seconds, and then transfer the plate to another vessel of the same size containing 5 c.c. of strong nitric acid, and again expose it to strong sunlight for two or three hours. Microscopic observation will then reveal the transformation on the glass plate, into what appears to be vegetable tissues, cells, an abundance of structures resembling amoebae, yeast, parenthyma and protoplasm.

The success of the experiment gives Dr. Herrera strong reasons for believing that the basis of life is sulphur.

Photographic Proof.

As substantial proof of his discovery, the scientist has taken a great number of microscopic photographs as permanent records of the successful experiments. These photos have served as a great incentive to others who have had less success in the same line of research.

The discovery opens up a vast field of possibilities hitherto unexplored, and may prove to be of vital importance.

RUSSO-JAPANESE
AGREEMENT.Fishing Dispute
Finally Ends.

Moscow, Yesterday. Eighteen months of negotiations have terminated in the signing of a Russo-Japanese agreement regarding Japanese fishing, including the regulation of the disputed points of the 1928 agreement. — Reuter.

MR. J. V. GREEN DIES IN
MELBOURNE.

The death, occurred on August 8, at "Aldrie," Williamstown, Melbourne, of Mr. John Vanham Green in his 36th year. He is the father of Mrs. Mitchell, wife of Mr. Robert F. Mitchell, of Kowloon, and the grand-father of Mr. Alex. G. Mitchell, "Miss" Una Mitchell, and Master Jackie Mitchell. Deceased was known to many in the Colony.

Counsel Charges Crown Witness
Planned Attack On Fung

(Continued from Page 1.)

Come now, answer my question. After I made my statement it was handed in.

Who handed it in?—I did. I handed it in to Fitches.

Then why didn't you say so. Witness made no answer.

Have you seen that statement from that day to this?—I have not.

Have you seen the original at all since then?—No, sir.

Or a copy?—I cannot recollect that, sir.

Have you had a type-written copy in your possession, of that statement, since the day of handing it in to Fitches?—No, sir, I have never had it in my possession. Quite clear about that?—Yes, sir.

The Chief Justice—Have you seen a copy?—I may have been examined as regards a few points about the statement.

Mr. Jenkin—Mr. Lindsell took you through the statement on one occasion.—Yes.

Apart from that, have you ever seen the original, or a copy, or been informed of the contents of the statement?

Witness hesitated in his reply, and stated that he was "taken to the C.I.D. offices, where the Chief Detective Inspector, Mr. Reynolds, asked him for certain enlightenment on the case.

Conversation Omitted.

Mr. Jenkin—Now, that statement is a very long statement. I put it to you that in that statement there is an absolute omission of the conversation that you have detailed as taking place in the Nathan Hotel room with regard to the murder of Fung.

At this juncture, Mr. Sheldon rose, and addressed His Lordship.

Mr. Sheldon—I am sorry to say it, but could the learned leading counsel for the defence refrain from repeating "nonsense, nonsense," to witness answers.

Mr. Potter—I am very sorry, Your Lordship.

Mr. Sheldon—I am very sorry, too, to have to bring it up.

Mr. Potter—I am sorry, but Mr. Sheldon's attitude is that one could hardly whisper. But if I were cross-examining I would be entitled to say it.

Mr. Sheldon—But you are not cross-examining.

The Chief Justice—Yes, I think any remarks like that would be a distraction for the Jury.

Mr. Potter—I shall be as silent as an oyster. (Laughter).

Mr. Sheldon—Yes, when it is your turn to talk.

Mr. Jenkin, resuming—What is your answer?

Zimmerman—I have practically forgotten your question.

Counsel repeated the question, and the witness replied that he could not recollect.

"I put it to you that there is an entire absence from that statement of any conversation whilst walking to the Ferry.—That may be a revision on my evidence. I have since been examined by Mr. Lindsell, and I have spoken on that point.

After further questioning, Mr. Jenkin said:—"You are a black-mailer, I think?"

"Well, according to this case, you can put it at that," Zimmerman replied.

No Blackmail.

Sir Joseph Kemp: "I don't see any blackmail in this case yet."

Mr. Jenkin: "Shall I use the word, swindler, instead, My Lord?"

Sir Joseph Kemp: "Yes, but not blackmailer."

Mr. Jenkin—"Now for a little history. You were in Shanghai for four years before coming here in February.

Witness agreed that he had been in Shanghai, but denied Mr. Jenkin's statement that he had been out of work there for 1½ years. He said it was true that he had had seven jobs in 2½ years.

Continuing, he said that he knew Christie there that they had lived together in one house; and that the latter had been in prison, but was not deported. Replying to Mr. Jenkin he admitted he had mixed with rogues.

"I have associated with all kinds of people," witness said.

Gunmen included?—No, most of them business people.

Answering Mr. Jenkin, witness said that he knew both Christie and Fung in Shanghai, and when he came to Hong Kong, he lived with Christie at the Nathan Hotel.

That, however, was after he had met the accused, and although he

saw much of Christie, his association with Cheng prevented their meeting daily.

Planned "Swindle."

I put it to you that you and Christie were out to swindle (Cheng)?—No, that is an allegation. We shall see. Mr. Jenkin said he would refer to certain parts of Zimmerman's evidence given at the Magistrate's Court, in answer to questions put by Mr. Lindsell.

Did you say in the learned Magistrate's Court: "We wanted to get his money, to share it with Christie and give some to Fung," I put it to you that your intention all along was to get money out of the accused?—That is so.

Continuing witness said that he did not approach accused in the first place, but was introduced by a Mr. Pun. Thinking that accused knew many influential people, witness asked him for a job. He did not dream at that time that accused would offer him a position as bodyguard. Neither did he know at that time of the accused's affair with Lai Ming-fai, or that George Fung was in the Colony.

Witness denied the suggestion that he frequently slept in Hong Kong, but admitted that when he first returned from Shanghai he slept with his parents at No. 14, Arbuthnot Road.

On the night of March 6, you surely must have, asked accused about Lai Ming-fai?—No, he was gambling that night at West Point.

Well, within a week of that date, that is March 6, you knew all about her and the affair?—Within a week he told me all about the affair between Lai and Fung.

You stayed with your uncle between March 10 and March 14?—Yes.

Stayed in Kowloon.

Replying to Mr. Jenkin's question as to why he chose to stay at the Nathan Hotel after he commenced his duties as Cheng's bodyguard, witness said that it was often very late when he returned from Hong Kong, and he had to come on the Yau-mat Ferry. The Nathan Hotel was conveniently close and was cheap.

When witness met Christie the latter was sleeping in a garage and Zimmerman invited him to share his room at the Nathan Hotel.

"Cheng was a big Jew as regards money," witness said, "and I sometimes had to pawn my clothes to pay my hotel bill."

He added that he did not sleep at home on account of the trouble in getting in at night after the amahs had retired.

Fung in Same Hotel.

While staying in the Hotel witness said that he was unaware that Fung was staying on the same floor or even in the same Hotel.

It is strange that you and Christie both of whom knew Fung, were unaware of his presence.—I swear I did not know.

Mr. Jenkin then passed on to the question of the money to be paid by accused for putting Fung out of the way.

Now how were you going to divide the money?—Christie had ideas of his own. He was going to forewarn Fung, and get the latter to drop down apparently dead and be removed to a car, when pricked with the poison needle.

Did you arrange proportions for the share?—I gathered I was to receive \$2,000, Christie \$2,000 and Fung \$1,000.

Did you not tell the Magistrate that the share was to be 4-4-1? Yes, that is if we received the full amount of \$10,000. I know we should not get that. It may interest you to know that Cheng told Christie to accept \$2,000, and have the rest put into a banking account. I saw there was something fishy in it and I told Christie not to fall for it.

Was that what I asked you? Now, I asked, were you satisfied?—Yes.

When was this all fixed?—It was not fixed.

When was it properly fixed?—It was proposed while we were on the way to see Mr. Davidson of Messrs. Hastings, Denny and Bowley.

The idea, to swindle Cheng, had never before entered your head, before that morning?—I may have thought of it at the dinner, but I did not consider it.

Counsel, becoming exasperated with witness, who kept confusing his answers, suddenly declared: "Don't try to tell me what questions to ask."

Do you remember saying in the witness box that you told accused

to leave the matter in your hands?—Yes, I said that in evidence.

"Swindling Rogues."

What explanation do you give for saying "leave the matter in my hands"?—Well, the men whom Fung had employed were fierce men of the Tiger Tribe Society, and I knew they were after Cheng's money.

I put it to you that by that statement you suggested that the matter should be taken out of the hands of rogues and put into the hands of two other swindling rogues?—What did you want left in your hands?—I do not know. We were going to talk it over.

You kept it from Christie that you were employed by Cheng?—I told him that I was employed by a rich man.

Why the secrecy?—I do not see why I should give away the affairs of my boss.

Plot Engineered.

Going on to the night of the dinner at Yau-mat, Mr. Jenkin said: I put it to you that the dinner was engineered by you and entirely at your suggestion?—That is entirely false.

That you and Christie had worked the whole thing out in that room?—That is an allegation.

That you wanted to get Cheng involved in an assault on Fung?—No.

I put it to you that Cheng was at last persuaded, into coming to this dinner, and into crossing to the Hotel, but only on the basis that nothing more was to happen than the slapping of Fung's face?—Not so.

Did you tell this to the learned Magistrate, "Cheng said all he wanted us to do was to get hold of Fung so that he (Cheng) could slap Fung's face"?—Yes, that is so.

I put it to you that Cheng was reluctant to come to the dinner and was late and finally had to be telephoned?—He was playing snooker.

You were host at the dinner?—Yes, at Cheng's permission.

And you had your girl there?—Not my girl, a public girl.

Well, a girl?—I'm not a Solomon. How could I have eight girls. (Laughter).

And you took the girls to the Hotel when you went across?—No they did not go across. Tai Pui-shing sent for them later.

You had a good deal to drink that night, had you not?—Seven bottles of beer and a bottle of Chinese wine.

All very merry, eh?—Yes.

A Big Lark.

It was a big lark, you were all tickled to death at the thought of going to the Hotel and slapping Fung's face in front of the lady?—We were all willing to join in the game.

Then you would have us believe that this man, Cheng, from wanting to join in a humorous pastime, to slap Fung's face in front of a lady, changed to a maniac, a murderer, and went into long details with you as to how to put Fung out of the way?—Yes.

Further questions regarding the walk to the Ferry were asked by Mr. Jenkin, and also questions regarding the booking of a room at the Tung Shan Hotel.

If the man from the hotel comes and says that one man booked the room, and identifies that man as Christie what would you say?—I have a piece of my mind for him.

Witness asserted that the room was booked by Cheng who paid, and that the register was signed by Christie.

The case continued at 2.30 after theiffin adjournment.

CIVIL WAR THREAT
IN IRELAND.Free State Watches
Volunteers Gather.

Dublin, Yesterday.

A new danger of civil war appears on the troubled horizon of Irish Free State politics with the announcement that the National Executive Army Comrades Association is recruiting a volunteer division.

The newly formed body is composed largely of ex-officers and men of the Free State Army and are generally thought to be massing as a challenge to the present Government's policy regarding the Irish Republican Army.

Mr. de Valera declines to make a statement on the matter, but a feeling of insecurity is growing throughout the country. — Reuter.

COUNCIL TO DEBATE
RIDER MAIN PLAN.Second Readings For
Several Bills.

FINANCE MATTERS.

At Thursday's meeting of the Legislative Council the second reading of several bills and debate on the rider main system will be undertaken.

The Colonial Treasurer will move: "In pursuance of the powers conferred by section 39 of the Liquor Ordinance, 1931, Ordinance No. 36, 1931, as amended by the Liquors Amendment Ordinance, Ordinance No. 20 of 1932, the Legislative Council resolves that, notwithstanding anything contained in the Liquor Duties Resolution published by the Notification No. 354 in the Gazette of the 2nd June, 1932, the Liquor Duty to be paid on beer brewed or made in the Colony shall be assessed at 60 cents per gallon when the original gravity of the worts for such beer does not exceed 1055 degrees as measured by the 'Bates' standard saccharometer and at one additional cent per gallon for every degree in excess of an original gravity of 1,055 degrees so measured."

Council will resume debate on the motion moved by the Colonial Secretary on August 4:

"That in the opinion of this Council the time has come for the Colony to abandon the principle of the rider main system, substituting therefor the principle of compulsory meterage to all house supplies to which the alternative shall be a free supply from street fountains."

The Colonial Treasurer will move Second reading of a Bill to authorize the appropriation of a supplementary sum of \$1,818,307.78 to defray the charges of the year, 1931, and the Attorney General will move Second reading of a Bill to amend the Foreshores and Sea Bed Ordinance, 1901; a Bill to amend and consolidate the law relating to factories and workshops and to the employment of women, young persons and children in certain industries and a Bill to make provision for fixing minimum wages in occupations where the wages paid are unreasonably low.

DR. KOO APPOINTED
PARIS MINISTER.

Succeeds To Important
European Post.

Loyang, Yesterday.

The National Government yesterday formally appointed Dr. Wellington Koo, as Minister to Paris.

The appointment comes following the resignation of Mr. Chien Yung-ming, China's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary in France.

Dr. Wellington Koo figured prominently recently when he insisted on accompanying the Lytton Commission on their Manchurian tour despite the grave warnings from the Manchukuo authorities.

Although many of the Central Government departments at Loyang have been removed back to Nanking, important orders of the Government are still issued from Loyang, and in this connection it is noted that recently when Mr. Wang Ching-wei sent in his resignation the telegram was also sent first to Loyang. — Reuter.

TEXTILE TARIFF
AGREEMENT.Sought At Ottawa
Conference.

London, Yesterday.

The Times says that a plan put forward at the Ottawa Imperial Conference is that for textile and other duties, about which an agreement cannot be immediately achieved. The Dominion Governments should accept the principle of a competitive tariff against United Kingdom imports, meaning thereby a scale, just sufficient to cover the difference in the cost of production in the United Kingdom and Dominions, leaving their manufacturers of the same commodities on equal terms of competition in Dominion markets. It is suggested.

Actual tariff rates to ensure the equality of competition would be left to the Dominion Tariff Boards. — British Wireless Service.

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The following unclaimed telegrams are lying at the Eastern Extension Telegraph Co.'s office:—Vicente Lopez, Peninsula Hotel, from Manila.

Crane Williams, Steamer President Adams, from Singapore. C. C. CLARKE, Manager. Hong Kong, August 11, 1932.

The following unclaimed telegrams are lying at the office of the Great Northern Telegraph Company (Limited) of Denmark:—Mr. Charles Thom, 201/207, Shomshupo, from Kobe.

Miss Sonia Franch, Thos Cook, from Shanghai. Sydney Smith, c/o Seamen Institute, from Antung, Jap.

F. V. JENSEN, Superintendent. Hong Kong, August 3, 1932.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

HONG KONG TELEPHONE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 14th of June, 1932, the DIRECTORS of this Company passed a resolution making the Final Call of \$2.50 per share upon the members holding shares upon which only \$7.50 per share has been paid, and that such Call will be payable to the Bankers of the Company, The Hong Kong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, at their Head Office, No. 1 Queen's Road Central, Victoria, Hong Kong, on the 30th day of September, 1932. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 25th September to the 18th September, 1932, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board. W. L. MCKENZIE, Secretary. Hong Kong, August 12, 1932.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction

ON WEDNESDAY, August 17, 1932, commencing at 11 a.m. at their Sales Room, 4, Duddell Street.

A Quantity of VALUABLE FURNITURE and MISCELLANEOUS.

Comprising:—Radio Sets, Loud Speakers, Batteries, Books, Sextants, Telescopes, Carpets, Chairs, Trunks, Suit Cases, etc., etc.

also A nice collection of High Class Records in albums.

On View on Day of Sale. Terms:—Cash on Delivery.

LAMBERT BROS., Auctioneers. Hong Kong, August 15, 1932.

SUMMER CLEARANCE SALE

GREAT REDUCTION IN PRICES

Beautiful Morning and Afternoon Dresses from \$7.50 to \$25.

Children's Dresses from \$5.00 to \$7.50

Beach Pyjamas from \$10. to \$25.

Straw Hats from \$3. to \$15.

Belts, Beads and other ladies' fashions.

Latest Styles and Creations.

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LATEST INVENTION

American Chemical Diamonds.

These diamonds are equal to real diamonds in all respects. Specially in brilliancy of lustre, hardness, etc. Can cut glass like real diamonds. Proof against acid, water, oil, etc. These diamonds can be washed with soap and water and can be used for more than 100 years. Price per carat H.K. \$750. Terms Cash or C.O.D. Those who purchase diamonds to the value of H.K. \$30 or more will get 20% discount. Send your orders direct to the American Chemical Diamond Co., P.O. Box No. 240, Penang, S.S. When ordering mention "China Mail".

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HONG KONG STOCK EXCHANGE

Opening Daily Official Quotations, August 15, 1932. Next Settlement Day, Tuesday, August 30th, 1932.

STOCK	Buyers	Sellers	Sales	Notes	Fin. Year	Last dividend and when paid
Banks						
Hong Kong Bank	1500	1000	1000	Dec.	1931	Interim \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 Aug. 8, 32
Chartered Bank	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 Mar. 1, 32
Merchants Bank, Ltd.	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 Mar. 1, 32
Bank of East Asia	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 Mar. 1, 32
Amoy O. Fin. Corp.	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 Mar. 1, 32
Ch. Fin. Cor. Ord. Tls.	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 Mar. 1, 32
Insurance						
Castles Ins.	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 19, 32
Union Ins.	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
China Underwriters	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
China Fire Ins.	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
H. K. Fire Ins.	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
International Acc. Tls.	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Shipping						
Douglas	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
H. K. Steamship	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Indo-China (Pref.)	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
(Def.)	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Shells, Bearer	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Union Waterworks	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Mining						
Benguet	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Kulau Mining Ad.	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Langkat (Single)	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
S'hai Exploration	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Loans	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Rauba	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Venezuela Gold Fields	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Benguet Exploration	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Docks, Wharves, Godowns, &c.						
H. K. & S. Hs. (old)	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
H. K. & S. Hs. (new)	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Shanghai Land	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Metropolitan Land	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Humphreys	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
H. K. Realities	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Asia Realities	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
China Realities	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
China Realities	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
China Realities	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Cotton Mills						
Swo Cottons	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Shanghai Cotton	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Zhong Sing	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Wing On Textile	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Public Utilities						
H. K. Tramways	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Peak Tram (old)	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Peak Tram (new)	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Star Ferry	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Yat Fong Ferry (old)	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Yat Fong Ferry (new)	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
China Light (old)	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
China Light (new)	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
H. K. Electric	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Macao	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Sandakan Lights	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
H. K. Tels. fully paid	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
China Buses	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
S'port Tractors (Ord.)	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Industrials						
Malacca Sugars	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Cold Macg. Ord.	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Canton Ind.	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Coments (old)	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
H. K. Ropes	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
China Agriculture	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Stores, &c.						
Dairy Farms	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Wancho (old)	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Wancho (new)	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Der A. Wign	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Lane Crawford	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Mackintosh	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Singapore	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Wm. Powell	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Wing On Textile H.K.	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Miscellaneous						
H. K. Amusements	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Ch. Entertainment	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
S. C. Enterprises	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
United Theatres	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Macao "Greyhounds"	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Constructions (Old)	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
(New)	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
B. Ind. G. Bonds	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
H. K. Govt. Loans	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
Wallace Harper & Co.	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32
China Sports Ltd.	100	100	100	Dec.	1931	Final \$1.10 to 1931-32-33 May 27, 32

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

A.O.F.C. Quotations.

New York, Saturday.

	Last To-day's Changes	
	Buyer.	Aver.
30 Industrials	63.11	63.19
20 Ralls	23.29	25.54
20 Utilities	27.07	27.05
Messrs. E. A. Pierce & Co. re-		
port:—The market is irregular.		
Business done: 1,800,000 shares.		
	Last To-day's	Price
	Price	
Air Reduction	50%	50
Allied Chemical & Dye	73	71
American Can	50 1/4	50 1/4
American Telegraph & Telephone	108 1/4	106 1/4
American Tobacco "B"	73 1/4	73 1/4
Auburn	84	63
Borden Company	25	27 1/2
Consolidated Pacific	128	11 1/2
Consolidated Gas of New York	52	52 1/2
Drugs, Inc.	39	40
Du Pont de Nemours	34 1/2	32 1/2
Eastman-Kodak	48	49
General Electric	16 1/4	16 1/4
General Foods	25 1/2	26 1/2
General Motors	13 1/2	12 1/2
International Harvester	27 1/2	27 1/2
International Tel. & Tel.	93	9 1/2
Liggett & Myers "B"	54	53
Loew's Inc.	26	26
Pacific Gas & Electric	27 1/2	27 1/2
Pennsylvania Railway	13 1/2	12 1/2
Radio Corporation	7 1/2	7 1/2
Sears Roebuck	19 1/2	19 1/2
Standard Oil Company of New Jersey	32 1/2	32 1/2
Socoyn-Vacuum Corp.	11 1/2	10 1/2
South Carbide & Carbon	21 1/2	22 1/2
Union Pacific	63 1/4	62 1/4
United Aircraft & Trans.	13	13 1/2
United States Steel	38 1/4	37 1/2
Westinghouse E. & M.	31 1/2	31 1/2



SAN FRANCISCO via Shanghai, Japan Ports and Honolulu.		
TATTOO MARU	Wednesday	24th August.
ASAMA MARU	Wednesday	7th September.
SEATTLE, VANCOUVER via Shanghai & Japan Ports.		
HIYE MARU	Tuesday	30th August.
HEIAN MARU	Tuesday	13th September.
LONDON, MARSEILLES, ANTWERP & ROTTERDAM via Singapore, Penang, Colombo & Suez.		
KASHIMA MARU	Saturday	20th August.
YASUKUNI MARU	Friday	2nd September.
SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila & Port.		
KITANO MARU	Saturday	27th August.
ATSUTA MARU	Saturday	24th September.
COMBAY via Singapore, Penang, & Colombo.		
TOKUSHIMA MARU	Monday	29th August.
KACA MARU	Sunday	11th September.
SOUTH AMERICA (West Coast) via Japan, Honolulu, Los Angeles, Mexico and Panama.		
GINYO MARU	Tuesday	13th September.
NEW YORK, BOSTON via Panama.		
LIVERPOOL via Port Said, Beyrouth Istanbul Piraeus Genoa & Valencia.		
LYONS MARU	Saturday	17th September.
CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang & Rangoon.		
AKITA MARU	Monday	15th August.
MALACCA MARU	Monday	29th August.
SHANGHAI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.		
ATSUTA MARU (Nagasaki direct)	Friday	19th August.
SUWA MARU	Saturday	20th August.
LIMA MARU	Sunday	21st August.
† Cargo only.		
For further information apply to:—NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.		
Telephone 30291. (Private exchange to all departments.)		

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SAILINGS FROM HONG KONG SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

LONDON, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG & ANTWERP via Singapore, Colombo, Aden, Suez and Port Said.	Alaska Maru	Sat.	8th Oct.
NEW YORK via Japan, Los Angeles and Panama. Call Direct at Cristobal, Port, Colombia, Boston, Philadelphia & Baltimore.	Tokai Maru	Tues.	13th Sept.
RIO-DE-JANEIRO, SANTOS, MONTEVIDEO & BUENOS AIRES via Saigon, Singapore, Colombo, Durban, PORT ELIZABETH and Cape Town.	† Santos Maru	Thurs.	25th Aug.
MOMBASA, ZANZIBAR, DAR ES SALAAM, BEIRA, LOURENCO MARQUES, DURBAN, PORT ELIZABETH, CAPE TOWN and SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.	Arabia Maru	Tues.	6th Sept.
Via Singapore & Colombo.			
MELBOURNE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY, WELLINGTON and AUCKLAND direct.	Sydney Maru	Mon.	5th Sept.
BOMBAY via Singapore, Belawan, Deli, Penang and Rangoon.	Shunko Maru	Thurs.	18th Aug.
CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang and Rangoon.	Honolulu Maru	Fri.	19th Aug.
JAPAN PORTS.	Burma Maru	Wed.	24th Aug.
JAPAN via Takao & Keelung.	Panama Maru	Fri.	9th Sept.
KEELUNG via Swatow and Amoy (3 p.m. every Sunday).	Hozan Maru	Sun.	21st Aug.
TAKAO via Swatow and Amoy (Noon, every other Thursday).	Canton Maru	Sun.	28th Aug.
† Omits ports underlined.	Deli Maru	Thurs.	25th Aug.

For Further Particulars Please apply to:—
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Telephone 23061.

STEAMERS' MOVEMENTS.

The R.M.S. Empress of Japan arrived at Yokohama on August 13 (Sat.) at 10.30 a.m., left Yokohama on August 13 (Sat.) at 8 p.m., and is due at Hong Kong on August 19 (Fri.) at 11 a.m. She leaves for Manila on August 19 (Fri.) at midnight.

The B.L. s.s. Taima will leave Amoy for this port to-morrow, and is due here on August 17.

The R.M.S. Empress of Russia arrived at Woosung yesterday at 9.30 a.m., left Woosung yesterday at 9 p.m., and is due at Nagasaki to-morrow at 5 a.m. She leaves for Kobe to-morrow at 5 p.m.

The R.M.S. Empress of Japan arrived at Kobe yesterday at 11 a.m., left Kobe yesterday at 4 p.m., and is due at Shanghai to-morrow at 1 p.m. She leaves for Hong Kong on August 17 (Wed.) at 9 a.m.

CONSIGNEES' NOTICE.

Consignees of cargo are reminded to take delivery of their goods, which will be subject to rent after August 15.

HARBOUR OFFICE.

High Tonnage Entered.

The total tonnage entered yesterday was 53,899, according to Harbour Office reports. There were 15 inward registries, of which seven were British and seven of four figures, while of the 12 throughs, eight were British and seven of four figures. Four vessels arrived in ballast.

Passengers entered during the period included 61 Europeans and 2,418 Asiatic deck, British vessels carrying 2,376 out of the total in all classes.

Nationality	Cargo Tons	Cargo Tons
British	11,408	11,987
American	2,760	4,989
Panama	1,210	200
Norwegian	2	1
Japanese	2,525	1
Chinese	1,990	1
Total	21,895	17,186



SHIPPING INDUSTRY IN GRAVE FLIGHT.

Recovery Bound To Be Slow.

SHANGHAI'S SLUMP.

Philippines Prospering, Says Prominent Visitor.

"The recovery of the shipping industry must necessarily be a slow and uphill fight," said Mr. William Hunt, a prominent Shanghai shipping man, when interviewed by the *China Mail* this morning.

"Conditions will improve, but at the present time, the industry is worse off than it was at this time last year," he added.

Mr. Hunt, who is connected with Messrs. L. Everett, Inc., in Shanghai, has been to Manila on a business trip, and states that conditions in the Philippine Islands are not so bad as in other parts of the Far East.

"They are generally the last to feel the slump and the last to recover," he said.

"At the present time," he continued, "Shanghai is at its worst as regards shipping, and it is now that the reaction following on the Sino-Japanese trouble is being felt. No forward orders were placed during the early months of the year, and ships are travelling almost empty. One vessel arrived recently with only 30 tons of cargo."

Mr. Hunt strongly condemns the laying up of ships.

"As long as a ship can be run to clear expenses it is advisable that she do so, for once it has been laid up it is dangerous to run it again, without an extensive overhaul."

"Laid up ships are a common sight the world over to-day, especially in Europe. In Oslo there is one firm with 60 ships standing idle, and their fleet consists of 82 vessels."

Cheap Rates.

"The drop in rates in the face of strong competition makes the running of a ship an expensive business to-day. Take wheat from the States and Canada. Bringing a cargo of wheat across the Pacific to-day costs almost 50 per cent. less than it did in 1928. Wheat in bulk in those days used to cost \$4.50 per ton, carriage, and now they are bringing it across for \$2.20 per ton."

Expressing his views on the Philippines and their demand for independence, Mr. Hunt said that if they gained their independence it would mean practically the end of the islands as far as commercial prosperity is concerned.

"They have not yet reached the stage where they are competent to take the Government into their own hands."

The Philippines.

"As regards their economic position at the present time, they are considerably better off than many other countries in the East, a position in no small measure due to the excellent government. Another

Arrivals Of Ships

Friday, August 12.

Changte, British str., 2,679 tons, Capt. F. C. Gambrill, from Manila, Holts Wharf.—B. & S.

City of Florence, British str., 4,391 tons, Capt. P. Jones, from Shanghai, buoy No. A5.—Bank Line.

Milkesau Maru, Japanese str., 1,961 tons, Capt. S. Hara, from Hongay, Yaumati Wharf.—China Light Power & Co.

President Taft, American str., 8,415 tons, Capt. M. M. Jensen, from Shanghai, Kowloon Wharf.—American Mail Line.

Saturday, August 13.

Antung, British str., 2,100 tons, Capt. D. Lupton, from Canton, buoy No. B21.—B. & S.

Borneo, British str., 1,297 tons, Capt. D. Thomas, from Whampoa, Stonecutters.—Shun Tai & Co.

Clara Jebben, Danish str., 1,145 tons, Capt. K. Dahl, from Saigon, buoy No. B5.—Jebben & Co.

Dalan Maru, Japanese str., 861 tons, Captain K. Hashimoto, from Keelung, buoy No. CS.—Y. Sato & Co.

Golden Star, American str., 4,017 tons, Capt. M. E. Shigby, from Borongan P. I., buoy No. A8.—States S.S. & Co.

Gold Wall, American str., 3,729 tons, Captain Ole Lee, from San Francisco, Stonecutters.—States S.S. & Co.

Halching, British str., 1,284 tons, Captain C. N. Farrar, from Swatow, Douglas Wharf.—Douglas & Co.

Hopsang, British str., 1,359 tons, Capt. D. S. Pethick, from Canton, buoy No. B1.—B. & S.

Huichow, British str., 1,200 tons, Capt. A. H. Bathurst, from Weihaiwei, buoy No. C2.—B. & S.

Hyder Sagen, Norwegian str., 2,345 tons, Capt. M. Hovland, from Canton, Kowloon Wharf.—Dodwell & Co.

Hydrangea, British str., 561 tons, Capt. P. W. Grierson, from Swatow, Chiu On Wharf.—Chiu On & Co.

Kiungchow, British str., 1,545 tons, Captain J. S. Anderson, from Canton, buoy No. B4.—B. & S.

Koromiko, British str., 1,541 tons, Capt. E. Jones, from Hongay, Yaumati Wharf.—Sze Wai & Co.

Liangchow, British str., 1,220 tons, Capt. J. M. Hall, from Canton, buoy No. B3.—B. & S.

Liberator, American str., 5,750 tons, Capt. N. Lawrence, from Shanghai, Stonecutters.—L. Everett, Inc.

Nanchang, British str., 1,488 tons, Capt. J. Newton, from Canton, buoy No. B18.—B. & S.

New Mathilde, British str., 842 tons, Capt. R. Mitchell, from Hongay, Kowloon Bay.—Yick Tai & Co.

Shantung, British str., 1,568 tons, Capt. Y. N. Campbell, from Swatow, buoy No. B16.—B. & S.

Soochow, British str., 1,594 tons, Capt. J. Atkins, from Canton, buoy No. B15.—B. & S.

Tonkin, French str., 908 tons, Capt. J. Bonnamour, from Fort-Bayard, buoy No. C1.—M. M. & Co.

Tsang Woo, Chinese str., 1,049 tons, Capt. Einarsin, from Saigon, buoy No. B11.—Nam Tai Loong.

CLEARANCES.

Saturday, August 13.

City of Florence, for Manila.

Concordia, for Tarakan.

Glaucus, for Shanghai.

Hong Kheng, for Singapore.

Lyster Sagen, for C. K. Tao.

Mancus, for Shanghai.

Muensterland, for Shanghai.

Pres. Taft, for Manila.

Rawalpindi, for Singapore.

Scotsraig, for Osaka.

Wing Wo, for K. C. Wan.

Texas, for Manila.

CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES' NOTICE.

THE BEN LINE STEAMERS, LIMITED.

From LEITH, MIDDLESBRO', ANTWERP, LONDON AND STRAITS.

"BENALDER"

Consignees of cargo are hereby informed that all goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of The Hong Kong & Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd. wharves and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained. No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 15th August, will be subject to rent. All claims against the steamer must be presented to the Underwriter on or before the 1st September, or they will not be recognised.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 17th August, at 10 a.m., by Messrs. Godard & Douglas.

To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO. LTD. Agents.

Hong Kong, 11th August, 1932.

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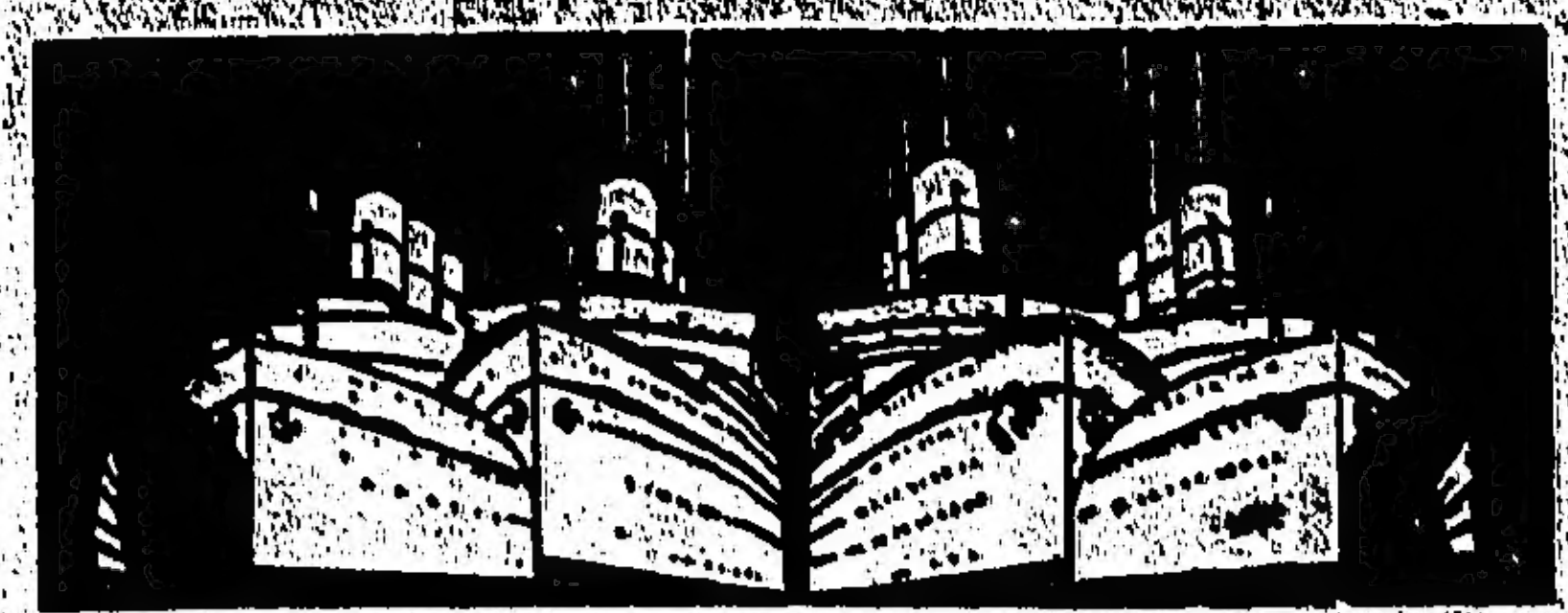
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NALDERA RAJPUTANA *BANGALORE	16,000 17,000 8,500	22nd Oct. 5th Nov. 12th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles & London. Bombay, Marseilles & London. Bombay, Marseilles & London.
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AEROPLANE CARRIER IN COLLISION.

Action Against Admiralty.

London, July 18.

A collision in the Mediterranean on April 1, 1931, between the aircraft carrier *Glorious* and the French steamship *Florida* was the subject of an action in the Admiralty Division on July 12. The owners of the French ship, the French General Steam Transport Company, sued the Admiralty in respect of damage to the vessel, loss of life, loss of effects and cargo, and injury to passengers and crew. Twenty-two passengers and members of the crew lost their lives. Plaintiffs' case was that the *Florida*, with 530 passengers on board, was on a voyage to Genoa, carrying a general cargo. H.M.S. *Glorious*, which was carrying out manoeuvres, appeared suddenly out of a thick fog, and struck the *Florida*, tearing open her side and flooding her holds. It was alleged that *Glorious* travelled at an excessive speed in fog, failed to act upon the *Florida*'s fog signal, turned so as to cross her course, failed to sound fog signals, and permitted flying machines to take off in fog.

The Admiralty blamed the *Florida* for the collision, and alleged that that vessel crossed the course of *Glorious* at a high speed, doing her great damage.

M. Raymond Blanc, captain of the *Florida*, said that most of the 22 persons killed were leaning on the deck rail.

The hearing was adjourned.

HONG KONG TIDES.

The time used is Standard, or mean time of the meridian of 120 deg. E. 00h. is midnight, 12hrs. is noon. The heights are referred to the datum of the largest scale Admiralty chart of the place and should be added to the depths given on the chart unless preceded by an asterisk (*), when they should be subtracted from the depths.

August 15 to 21, 1932.

Date	High Water Standard Ht. Times.	Low Water Standard Ht. Times.
Mon. 15	08 05 7.5 22 25 4.5	01 20 5.6 15 25 0.3
Tues. 16	08 52 7.7 22 50 4.7	02 10 3.3 16 00 0.5
Wed. 17	09 35 7.8 23 16 5.0	02 55 3.2 16 30 0.9
Thurs. 18	10 15 7.5 23 41 5.1	03 38 2.9 17 04 1.3
Fri. 19	10 53 6.9 00 07 5.2	04 20 2.7 17 25 1.6
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TUESDAY, AUGUST 16.	Angkor
Japan and Shanghai	Chenonceaux
Saigon	Kutsang
Calcutta and Straits	
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 17.	Talma
Amoy	
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 18.	Atsuta Maru
Australia and Manila	
FRIDAY, AUGUST 19.	President Taft
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hai (Vancouver, July 30)	
Japan and Shanghai	Kashima Maru
SATURDAY, AUGUST 20.	
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San	President Pierce
Francisco, July 22)	
Straits	Suwa Maru
Japan and Shanghai	Taiyo Maru
MONDAY, AUGUST 22.	
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San	President Grant
Francisco, July 29)	

OUTWARD MAILS.

MONDAY, AUGUST 15.	Akita Maru	3.30 p.m.
Straits and Calcutta	Chung On	4 p.m.
Samsui and Wuchow		
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A.,		
*Canada, C. & S. America and		
*Europe via San Francisco		
TUESDAY, AUGUST 16.		
Batavia	Tjisalak	10.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiching	1 p.m.
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Pres. Monroe	Sept. 4		Pres. Garfield	Oct. 2	

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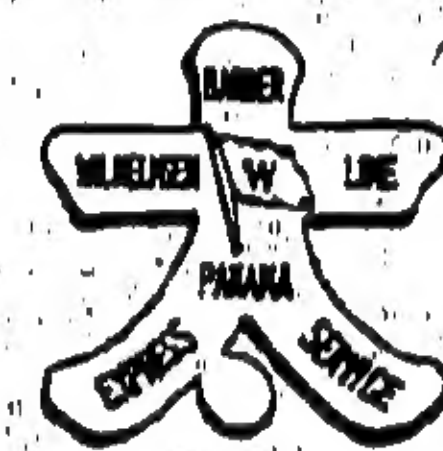
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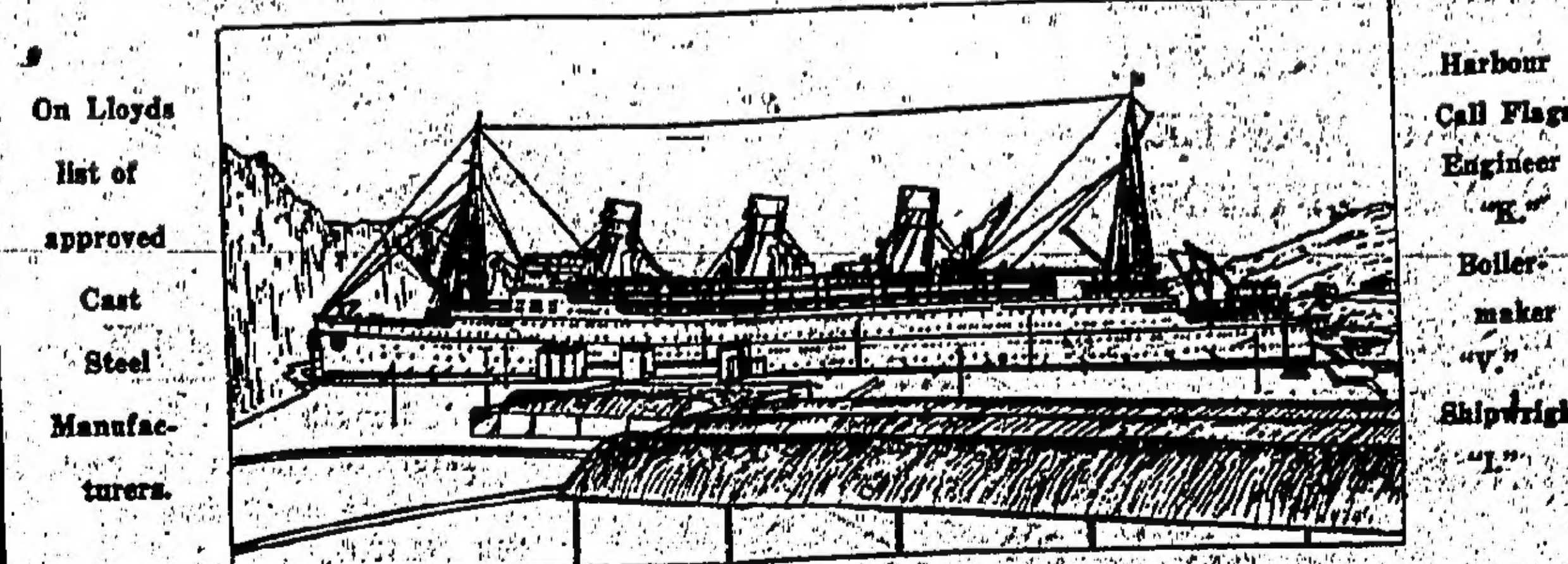
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Letters	Letters
Fort Bayard, Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Tonkin
Shanghai, Japan and Europe via Siberia	Chenonceaux
Manila	Maerkker
Saigon	Helikon
Swatow	Van Heutsz
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 17.	
Swatow	Hangsang
Sandakan	Mausang
Hoihow and Bangkok	Kwelyang
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. & S. Africa, Egypt & Europe via Marseilles	Agamemnon (Due Marseilles, Sept. 16.) G.P.O.
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Letters	Letters
Amoy	Taiwan

* Expressed Correspondence only.

BRITAIN'S POLICIES IN CHINA TRADE

Information May Be Published.

OF VITAL INTEREST.

Situation Necessarily Delicate.

Shanghai, Saturday. The suggestion in a Shanghai morning paper to the effect that the Foreign Office should occasionally publish information respecting Great Britain's policy with regard to British Trade and Settlement interests in China, has aroused keen interest in official quarters. It is expected that official intimation will be given next week as to whether such an arrangement is possible. It was pointed out, however, that the chief obstacle to such a development, despite its usefulness to British trade and Settlement interests, is the undesirability of making public anything in the nature of a forecast of British policy towards a foreign power. The position in the India Office, which periodically issues statements regarding British policy, is not analogous, as India is a member of the British Empire, and whereas the Anglo-Chinese relations are naturally much more delicate a matter.—Reuter.

ORGANISATION OF ROAD TRANSPORT.

Effort To Eliminate Competition.

Far-reaching proposals for the reorganisation of road transport and eliminating competition with the railways and the even more frenzied competition between the road haulage contractors themselves, have been made by the Road Haulage Association.

The Association urges that a tribunal should be established to regulate road freight charges, because the unbridled competition among haulage contractors has increased to such an extent that the internal organisation of road haulage transport is difficult to achieve, except under compulsion.

Regarding freight charges, it is suggested that as far as practicable the rates should be equal, whether by road or rail.

A Committee appointed by the Minister of Transport is now inquiring into road and rail transport problems and the extent to which the two services may be co-ordinated.

HITLER'S DEMANDS ARE BLUNTLY REFUSED

LEADERS' NEGOTIATIONS FAIL TO BRING COALITION.

Berlin, August 13. Negotiations between Herr Von Hitler, Nazi Leader, Chancellor, Von Papen, General Von Schleicher and President Von Hindenburg have failed utterly. Herr Hitler demanded the Chancellorship of Germany, but the utmost the Hindenburg Government was prepared to concede were the Vice-Chancellorship and the Reich Premiership of Prussia.

Herr Hitler insisted in the final conversation with Herr Von Papen that the recent election had shown that Germany wanted him as Chancellor, and he, therefore, was unable to accept any other post.

He also demanded the portfolios of the Ministers of Interior and Defence for members of the Nazi party.

On these latter posts the Chancellor was prepared to negotiate, but Herr Hitler's insistence on the Chancellorship made further conversation impossible.

Afterwards Herr Hitler called on President Hindenburg, who similarly refused to concede the Chancellorship to the Nazi Chief.

Coalition Unlikely. Berlin, Yesterday. The country has the tense feeling which accompanies the lull before a storm. The political situation, whilst the nation is awaiting the fateful meeting of Chancellor Von Papen and Herr Adolf Hitler next week, is particularly tense.

It is learned from reliable sources that Herr Hitler intends to refuse to join the Coalition with the Catholic Centre Party. He maintains his standpoint that he must be asked to form a Government with himself as Chan-

SHANGHAI EDITORIAL LAUDS TERRORISTS

BOMB OUTRAGES OF "SKULL CORPS"

(From Our Own Correspondent).

Shanghai, August 13. A new Anti-Japanese organisation, styled the "Skull Corps," existing for the purpose of punishing "traitors" to China, has commenced functioning by delivering a parcel containing a bomb to the Chinese Factory Owners' Association.

In connection with this outrage, the "China Times," a native newspaper, makes a remarkable comment on the situation.

Editorially, the newspaper urged the people of China not to forget the incident of January 28 simply because the guns are silent. The bombs, it adds, will serve to awaken the traitorous merchants of China who deal with the enemies of the nation. The senders of the bombs deserve the solemn respect of the people, the message adds.

For some time, now, various secret organisations have been sending bombs to various persons suspected of trading with Japan. The Nanking Government, of course, forbids such things and has promised to endeavour to suppress the terrorists.

The fact that a newspaper boldly approves the campaign of intimidation is considered by observers in Shanghai to be most significant. It is presumed that the Japanese will demand the suppression of the newspaper and a formal apology. It was the outgrowth of such incidents which led to the clashes in Shanghai which ultimately gave rise to actual warfare.

\$25,000 FAKE MONEY CHARGE.

Alleged Counterfeit Bank Notes.

An alleged international plot to manufacture and distribute 5,000 counterfeit Bank of England £5 notes was disclosed recently with the arrest in New York of two men named Peter Giella and Harold Schock on charges of manufacturing a plate from which spurious notes were to be printed.

The arrests followed months of intensive investigation by United States secret service men in co-operation with British, French, and German agents.

It was stated that some of the alleged counterfeit notes had already turned up in Hanover, Budapest, Vienna, Marseilles, and other cities.

BRIDGE TEAM QUARREL.

Oswald Jacoby Dropped.

The "Four Horsemen," the unbeatable American Contract Bridge stars who play their own system, have been disrupted after a quarrel.

Over their signatures, three of them, P. Hal Sims, Willard S. Karn and David Burnstine, have announced: "Oswald Jacoby, our partner, has been dropped from our team because he attempted to use his position for the purpose of promoting his own ends to our detriment."

Mr. Jacoby, it will be remembered, was the first partner of Mr. Sidney Lenz in the 150-rubber Culbertson-Lenz Bridge marathon last December, says the News Chronicle.

"I was away from New York in a lecture tour during April, and when I returned I discovered that my team-mates had become rather jealous of my being better known than they," he stated in an interview.

"A series of discussions followed that culminated in my withdrawal from playing with the other three."

The new fourth "Horseman" has already been chosen. He is to be Mr. Howard Schenckel, who was a Culbertson partner against Lenz for one night, during which the Culbertson side lost points.

"HELEN OF TROY" ECHO.

Bankruptcy Notice For Doctor.

Dr. Charles Searle, against whom damages were awarded in what became known as the "Helen of Troy" case, is to be served with bankruptcy notices in Kenya Colony, Africa.

"So far," said a representative of J. Peters, the solicitor who acted for Mr. Place, the plaintiff in the case, "Dr. Searle has not paid any of the costs and damages."

"Bankruptcy notice has been issued in London. Leave has been granted to serve them on Dr. Searle in Kenya Colony."

In the case Mr. John Dover Place, a grocer's assistant of Cambridge, alleged that Dr. Searle had "enticed" his wife from him. There was a disagreement among the jury. Later judgment was entered for Dr. Searle by Mr. Justice McCardie.

Following an appeal, there was a second trial at the Suffolk Assizes, and the jury found for Mr. Place, whom they awarded \$500 damages. The Judge ordered that Dr. Searle should also pay the costs of the two trials. Before the second trial took place Dr. Searle left England for Kenya Colony with Mrs. Place, who went to act as his housekeeper.

A MUSEUM OF SOUND.

German Professor's Research.

Berlin, August 1.

Only in the last few years has mechanical progress made it possible to form a museum of sounds, and it is only in Berlin that this possibility is being systematically exploited in the service of scientific phonetics by Professor Wilhelm Doegen, Director of the Sound Institute.

The gramophone and the Oscillograph (a photograph of sound secured by the same method as the talking film) have made it possible to investigate the noises of human utterance far more closely than the most subtly devised system of phonetic transcription.

It is one of Professor Doegen's claims to distinction that he recognised this early and seized the opportunity provided by the prisoners of war in Germany to secure records of as many varieties of human speech as Germany had opponents.

The Prussian education authorities could see no value in the Professor's plan, and he would not have been able to carry it out had it not appealed to the imagination of an official at the War Ministry, who gave him passes to all the camps, and to that of the Emperor William himself, who personally contributed towards the expenses incurred.

War Camp Dialects.

The records secured during the war form the nucleus of the great collection of 9,000 in the Institute of Sound (Laut-Institut), housed in the same building as the Prussian State Library. No fewer than 23 English dialects are represented. All the tongues of Russia are there; many negro languages, and all the important languages of Asia are represented.

A photograph is always preserved of the man whose voice is recorded on the copper disc for future centuries to hear; a phonetic transcription, and a translation into German is provided for the use of students.

Gramophone records have, of course, long been used for the teaching of languages and they are used for this purpose in Professor Doegen's institute; but this is not the most important object of the collection, which is rather to make possible a microscopic examination of human utterance, in which can be found the distinguishing marks of different racial types, just as in the body itself.

Professor Doegen believes that from the records of voices it is possible to identify the descendants of various invaders of England and Germany.

PRINCE GEORGE IN THE CHAIR.

At the All-England Lawn Tennis Club dinner at the Empire Rooms the Czechoslovak Minister raised the merriest laugh. He compared the assembly to the "League of Nations with American in it."

Prince George, who had seen many of the guests performing on the court during the afternoon, made an excellent chairman. He captivated everybody by his homely reference to "my father's former tenure of office." (The King, as Prince of Wales, was president of the All-England Club at the beginning of the great international epoch.)

TOKYO POLICE IN ARMOUR.

Shields and armour are the latest plan for protecting Tokyo police conducting raids against dangerous gangs and criminals.

Sponsors of the scheme point out that there has been a great increase in the number of officers killed and wounded on duty.

Two hundred sets of bullet-proof vests, steel helmets, and armoured shields will be made at first to test their efficiency against criminals with firearms.

During 1929, 18 officers were killed and 8,039 injured while on duty. In 1930, 25 were killed and 8,378 injured.

Since that date, numbers, it is officially stated, have been even larger.

AMERICA'S FLYING ARMY TANK.

An armoured tank, equipped with wings and propeller, is being built at Linden, New Jersey, for the United States army. The tank will be capable of a speed of seventy miles an hour over rough ground, and weighs four tons. The propeller and wings are pivoted above the main body of the tank.

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Butcher Meat.						Poultry.					
Cts. Cts. Cts.						Cts. Cts. Cts.					
Beef Sirloin	牛尾把	lb.	34	24	13	Chicken	雞	lb.	68	30	31
" Prime Cut	牛尾把	lb.	30	23	11	Capons, Small	雞	lb.	68	28	30
" Corned	牛尾把	lb.	40	33	13	Capons, Large	雞	lb.	68	28	30
" Roast	牛尾把	lb.	34	24	12	Duck	鴨	lb.	45	22	21
" Breast	牛尾把	lb.	32	20	13	Doves	鴿	each	45	32	21
" Soup	牛尾把	lb.	28	20	13	Eggs, Hen (cooking)	雞蛋	per doz.	38	18	—
" Steak	牛尾把	lb.	34	24	12	Eggs, Hen (fresh)	雞蛋	per doz.	38	22	20
" Steak Sirloin	牛尾把	lb.	46	30	15	Fowls, Canton	雞	lb.	80	36	24
" Sausages	牛尾把	lb.	36	26	13	Fowls, Hainan	雞	lb.	62	35	24
Bullock's Brains	牛尾把	per set	17	10	13	Geese	鴨	each	43	24	24
" Tongue, fresh	牛尾把	each	80	50	60	Pigeons, Canton	鴿	each	43	20	—
" Tongue, corned	牛尾把	each	1.00	60	—	" Hothow	鴿	each	40	29	—
" Head	牛尾把	lb.	1.60	—	1.30	Turkeys, Cock	雞	lb.	75	—	—
" Heart	牛尾把	lb.	24	13	14	Turkeys, Hen	雞	lb.	70	61	45
" Hump, Salt	牛尾把	lb.	—	20	18	Snipe	鴨	each	30	—	—
" Feet	牛尾把	each	12	10	12	Pheasant	鴨	pair	2.50	—	—
" Kidneys	牛尾把	lb.	15	10	12	Quail	鴨	each	—	—	—
" Tail	牛尾把	lb.	27	20	22	Partridges	鴨	each	—	—	—
" Liver	牛尾把	lb.	26	13	14						
" Tripe	牛尾把	lb.	8	6	7						
Calves' Head & Feet	牛尾把	set	1.50	\$1.00	\$1.00						
Mutton Chop	牛尾把	lb.	60	25	—						
" Leg	牛尾把	lb.	60	25	—						
" Shoulder	牛尾把	lb.	60	24	—						
" Saddle	牛尾把	lb.	60	24	—						
Pig's Chitlings	牛尾把	lb.	30	27	—						
" Brains	牛尾把	Per set	4	—	—						
" Feet	牛尾把	lb.	18	15	—						
" Fry	牛尾把	lb.	30	15	18						
" Head	牛尾把	lb.	20	20	—						
" Heart	牛尾把	each	18	10	10						
" Kidneys	牛尾把	lb.	14	10	8						
" Liver	牛尾把	lb.	50	30	24						
Pork Chop	牛尾把	lb.	36	25	23						
" Leg	牛尾把	lb.	38	—	—						
" Loin	牛尾把	lb.	42	30	70						
" Fat or Lard	牛尾把	lb.	22	21	—						
Sheep's Head & Feet	牛尾把	Per set	90	60	70						
" Heart	牛尾把	each	12	8	7						
" Kidneys	牛尾把	lb.	15	12	10						
" Liver	牛尾把	lb.	45	26	25						
Sucking Pigs, to order	牛尾把	lb.	25	25	22						
Suet, Beef	牛尾把	lb.	34	20	18						
" Mutton	牛尾把	lb.	55	26	26						
Veal	牛尾把	lb.	45	20	20						
" Sausages	牛尾把	lb.	28	—	—						
No. 1	牛尾把	lb.	38	—	—						
Fish.						Fruits.					
Barbel	魚	lb.	58	16	24	Almonds	杏仁	lb.	90	35	—
Bream	魚	lb.	28	20	18	Apples (California)	金山蘋果	lb.	23	26	—
Canton Fresh Water Fish	魚	lb.	28	—	—	Bananas (bride's)	黃山香蕉	7	4	—	—
Carp	魚	lb.	30	13	18	Carambola	楊桃	lb.	16	12	—
Catfish	魚	lb.	30	16	27	Coconuts	椰子	each	14	10	10
Codfish	魚	lb.	35	12	9	Lemons, China	檸檬	lb.	20	25	30
Crabs	蟹	lb.	68	15	24	Lemons (American)	金山檸檬	each	12	8	—
Cuttle Fish	魚	lb.	26	23	27	Liches, Dried	荔枝干	lb.	1.00	25	30
Dab	魚	lb.	26	16	27	Oranges (Canton)	新會甜橙	—	—	—	15
Dace	魚	lb.	56	23	16	Oranges	橙	—	—	—	15
Dog Fish	魚	lb.	20	10	—	Pears (Canton)	沙梨	—	—	—	10
Eels, Conger	魚	lb.	80	10	8	Peanuts	花生	lb.	14	10	12
" Fresh Water	魚	lb.	85	16	—	Persimmons, Large	紅柿	—	—	—	12
" Yellow	魚	lb.	50	10	8	Plantain	大蕉	5	8	—	—
Frogs	魚	lb.	85	26	30	Pineapple, Siam	暹羅鳳梨	each	14	12	6
Garnopa	魚	lb.	1.00	32	25	Walnuts	胡桃	lb.	30	—	10
Gudgeon	魚	lb.	26	40	30	Grapes	菩提子	90	—	—	—
Herrings	魚	lb.	38	22	18	Vegetables, Etc.					
Halibut	魚	lb.	40	13	23	Artichokes	菊苣	each	—	—	2
Labrus	魚	lb.	45	15	15	Beans, Sprout	豆苗	lb.	6	—	7
Loach	魚	lb.	38	22	18	" Long	豆苗	lb.	12	—	8
Lobsters	魚	lb.	75	62	24	Beet Root	紅菜頭	8	24	—	—
Mackerel	魚	lb.	43	32	21	Bitter Squash	紅瓜	8	5	8	—
Monk Fish	魚	lb.	48	20	20	Brinjals, Green	青瓜	8	5	8	—
Mullet	魚	lb.	40	13	2	" Red	紅瓜	6	8	8	—
Oysters	魚	lb.	45	12	2	Cabbage, Chinese	紅頭菜	14	—	—	—
Parrot Fish	魚	lb.	38	14	9	(Shanghai)	紅頭菜	12	—	—	—
Perch	魚	lb.	32	30	15	Cane Shoots, bunch	藤	10	—	—	—
Pike	魚	lb.	43	15	9	Cauliflower (Large)	大花椰菜	each	—	—	—
Pllice	魚	lb.	62	36	29	" (Medium)	中花椰菜	—	—	—	—
Pomfret, White	魚	lb.	60	33	30	" (Small)	小花椰菜	—	—	—	—
Pomfret, Black	魚	lb.	40	35	45	Carrots	金菜	lb.	8	5	6
Prawns	魚	lb.	95	10	14	Celery, Chinese	青蔥	—	—	—	—
Ray	魚	lb.	24	10	14	Chillies, Dried	紅辣椒	18	25	5	—
Rock Fish	魚	lb.	30	13	18	" Red	紅辣椒	15	10	10	—
Roach	魚	lb.	38	22	10	" Green	青辣椒	8	8	13	—
Salmon	魚	lb.	75	86	30	Curry Stuff, English	咖喱粉	10	8	—	—
Shark	魚	lb.	20	8	10	Cucumbers	青瓜	8	2	—	—
Skate	魚	lb.	20	10	10	Garlic	蒜頭	6	6	—	—
Shrimps	魚	lb.	64	33	30	Ginger, Young	薑	10	7	—	—
Snapper	魚	lb.	55	33	30	" Old	薑	8	20	—	—
Soles	魚	lb.	50	22	28	Horseradish, Shanghai	蘿蔔	60	8	4	—
Tench	魚	lb.	40	20	58	Indian Corn	粟米	each	9	45	—
Turbot	魚	lb.	36	12	12	Lettuce	生菜	lb.	10	1	—
Turbot, small fr. water	魚	lb.	1.10	12	12	Water Chestnuts	馬蹄	12	—	—	—
						" Mandarin	中馬蹄	14	—	—	—

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HEARTBREAK

COOLIES FIGHT FOR RICE RATION.

Cook's Favouritism Alleged.

ONE MAN WOUNDED.

A battle raged amongst the coolies at the Lam Construction Co., 18, Lun Fat Street, Wan-chai, as the result of the alleged preference of the company's cook, Chan Ping, for the Cantonese coolies employed there.

It was related before Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones that on August 13, the coolies which were composed of Cantonese and Hocklos, had sat down to dinner. The Cantonese had been served with rice and vegetables, and the Hocklos had been given vegetables only. Thereupon, Chan Shing went into the cook-house for the purpose of taking rice for the Hocklos, and met with opposition from the cook.

The fight between the two spread to the rest of the coolies, and as a result, Chan Shing received a deep wound in the face which he alleged was caused by Chan Ping striking him with a chopper.

His Worship bound over the contestants in sums of \$50 each for 6 months.

N.Y.K. LOSE \$40,000 APPEAL.

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the judgment of the trial Judge, Sir Joseph Kemp, K.C., and dismissed the appeal with costs.

The Full Court consisted of Judge Sir Peter Grain (President) Sir Joseph Kemp and Mr. Justice J. R. Wood, assisted by two assessors, Commander E. D. Brooks, R.N., and Lieut-Commander Rudyard-Halpin, R.N.

Reading the judgment of Sir Peter Grain, who has since returned to the Shanghai Supreme Court, Mr. Justice Wood found that Captain Ritchie, master of the Kiangsu did everything that was possible to avoid a collision with the Japanese ship. The Toyooka Maru, he found, had taken the dangerous course of crossing the fairway in a fog. She was held wholly to blame. He dismissed the appeal.

The Chief Justice, in his judgment, noted that the Kiangsu should have treated the Toyooka Maru as an outgoing ship and not as an ascertained ship, when sighted. The Toyooka Maru had three courses open to her, none of which she took, but crossed the fairway. He found her to blame for the collision.

Mr. Justice Wood found that the Toyooka Maru was clearly negligent from 7.45 a.m. and subsequent. Although she had crossed the fairway accepting risks, and had not crashed, and although both ships had a right to the fairway generally, the outward bound vessel should have given preference to the Kiangsu. He dismissed the appeal with costs.

Mr. H. G. Sheldon appeared for the N.Y.K. (plaintiff-appellants) and Mr. Eldon Potter, K.C., and Mr. F. C. Jenkin, K.C., for the China Navigation Co. (defendant-respondents).

The Full Court was adjourned sine die.

ENGLAND SIDE 'FOR AUSTRALIA.

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player to be selected, or are the Selectors satisfied with the Warwickshire skipper? Jack Hobbs may be persuaded to make the trip, or Paynter (Lancs.) may be selected for a left-handed opening batsman. Then there are Keeton (Notts), Bakewell (Northants) and E. T. Killick (Middlesex) waiting for invitations. Frank Woolley and Ian Peebles seem to have been overlooked and their chances at the moment are not so bright, though it would cause no surprise if the Middlesex amateur were included.

Mediocre Bowling. Taking another glance at the probable eleven it looks as if Sutcliffe and Jardine are the two really dependable batsmen with Hammond and Duleepsinhji good for centuries if they are allowed to settle down. The bowling does not give rise to great optimism, though it will be interesting to see how Voce fares against Bradman. The Australian has never yet faced Voce, as he was resting up when the Australians visited Trent Bridge, and Voce did not take part in any representative match against the touring eleven.

Run Orgy. Tate is well-known "down under," but Larwood has improved greatly since he last played against the Australians. Brown is almost an unknown quantity in Australia as he bowled only a limited number of overs for the Light Blues during the Aussies' visit. From the face of things, however, it looks as if England will be fortunate to dismiss their opponents for less than 500 on the sun-baked Australian wickets.

The Australians, on the other hand, have no bowler, other than Clarence Grimmett, to inspire awe in Test batsmen and the fight for the Ashes should thus develop into a magnificent run orgy.

Tate's Record. The selection of Tate was expected as no bowler has a better Test record in Australia than the lion-hearted Sussex bowler.

During the 1924-5 tour Tate took 38 wickets during the five Tests for an average of 23.18 runs per wicket. Arthur Mailey, the Australian goolgy bowler, is the only other player to approach these figures—he took 36 for 26.27 runs each during the 1920-1 series in Australia.

Only Left-Hander. The inclusion of Leyland introduces the only left-handed batsman into the side. His form this season has not been too encouraging in the view of the Selectors otherwise he would have undoubtedly been among the first thirteen players called upon.

Leyland had the rare distinction of scoring a century on his first appearance in Test cricket. At Melbourne in the 1928-9 tour Leyland scored 187 to join the select band of six English players who have achieved this distinction.

Verity Not Suited. Verity was the most likely slow bowler to make the tour as he is yet young and the experience he will gain should prove invaluable in later years. His bowling feat at Leeds, when he took all 10 wickets for 10 runs against Notts placed him in the forefront of the

CANTON AERODROME SITE FOR SALE.

Little Island May Change Hands.

COL. WU'S APPOINTMENT.

New Air Force Adviser For General Wong.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Canton, To-day.

It is learned from reliable sources that the little island of Tai Sha Tau, at present an aerodrome of the Canton Government, and close to Canton proper, will be sold by public tender in the near future in order to provide funds which will be used to wipe out the deficit which the treasury faces at present.

The Canton Government has made arrangements to shift the aerodrome from this point to Lung Ngan Tung, near White Cloud Mountain.

The island of Tai Sha Tau has recently developed rapidly in a business direction and the Government feels that its progress will be impeded by the presence of the flying base, expansion of which would also be curtailed.

Meanwhile, Col. Wu Kam-gnar, formerly Commander of the Second Air Squadron, who recently returned from the United States, where he raised funds among Chinese for aviation development, has been appointed Air Force Adviser by General Wong Kwong-yui, Commander-in-Chief of the Canton flying corps. He replaces Mr. Wu Han-in, who has been elevated to the position of principal of the Aviation School in Canton.

N.Y. STOCKS STEADY AFTER SLUMP.

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parent. By the time sales had reached their peak, with turn-overs of 5,500,000 shares in one mid-week day, some stocks had gained 12 points, and the average had jumped from approximately 62 to 69.

Then, following the warnings of economists both in London and New York, the reaction set in and panic followed. Once more the bears gained control and the market sagged in all commodities. The tendency to steadiness, with the slight rise in utilities and rails, has a reassuring aspect.

cricket world. He keeps the ball well up to the bat and is difficult to score from on a sticky wicket, but he is very unlikely to encounter these ideal conditions for his type of bowling in Australia. He keeps a tantalising length on English wickets, but it will be surprising if the quick-footed Australians do not punish him heavily. It looks very much as if Verity will be a passenger as far as Test cricket is concerned. The Australian wickets are now never quite so sticky as they used to be after rain. Dry wickets are not so fast either; in fact, the wickets "down under" have toned down all round, and have become more easy-paced.

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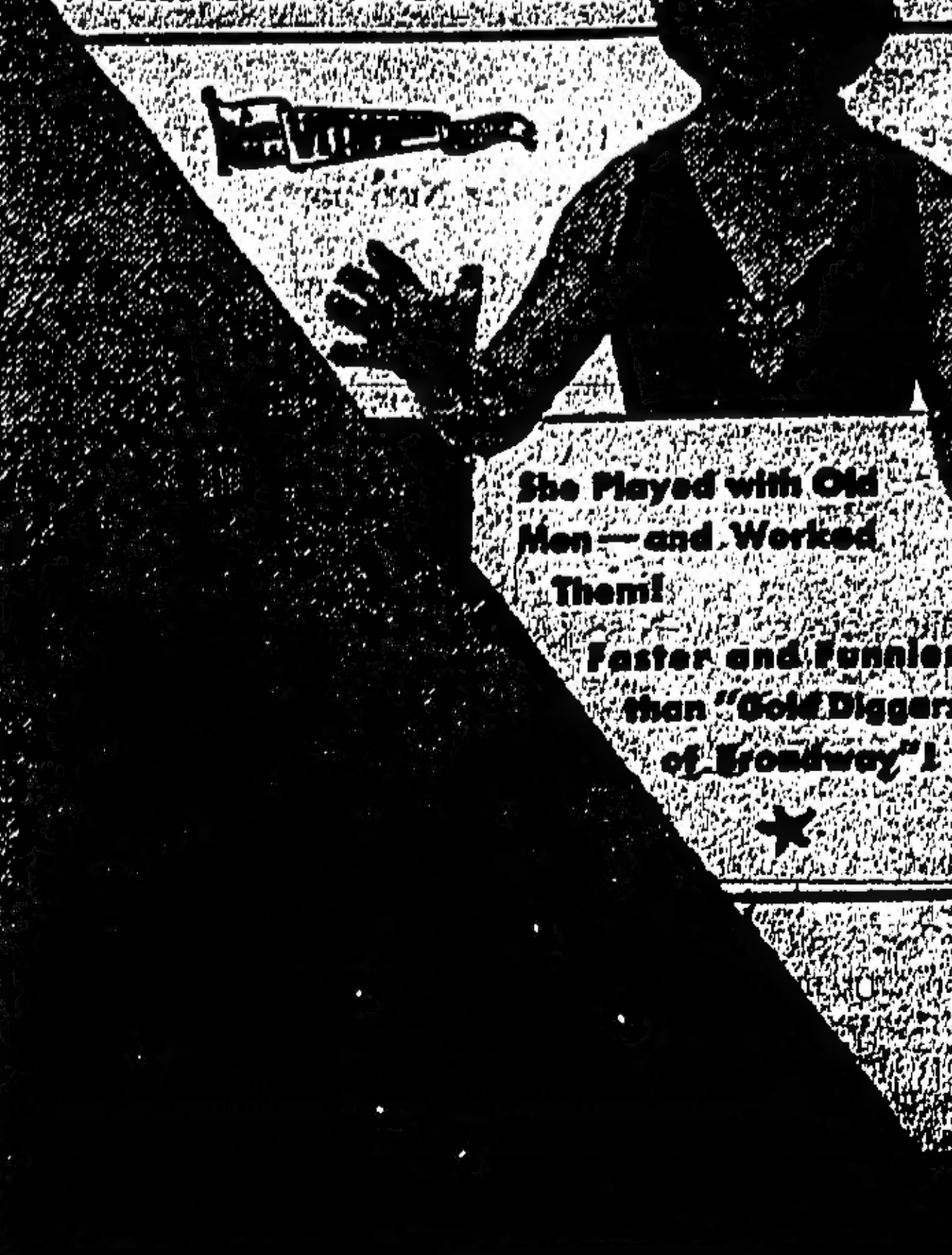
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